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The Greatest Show On Earth

A phenomenal event comes to NiWeHi every September. Ringling Brothers likes to claim that they have the greatest show on earth; their fantastic display of wild animals, clamoring clowns, and daring acrobats, leave audiences with chin-hanging, open-mouthed expressions. That's the circus, and though a phenomenon of sorts, the enchantment of the circus cannot compare with the fantastic assemblage of young people at schools each fall, especially when students come together with such great spirit as do West-goers.

School spirit seems to be associated with sports, and rightly so, since excitement runs high at athletic events. Sports challenge students to participate with all their effort and to support our teams heartily. Each individual's sensations at a football game, for instance, combine to form an unlimited supply of excitement, a spirit of victory and pride.

The term "school spirit" cannot be reserved for sports teams alone; students at Niles West keep busy with many organizations that are also team efforts. Those who have exceptional mathematic ability participate in the Math Team; others may enjoy exercising their governing abilities in class cabinets, Union, or Student Senate. Of course, every student, regardless of talent, may participate in foreign language or ethnic clubs, and learn that spirit can be communicated through the bounds of language. A strong sense of spirit can be sensed in organizations such as Amnesty International, S.A.D.D., and NHS which center around the betterment of the community. Still other organizations such as Orchestra, Art Council, Band, West of Edens, and Theater provide an outlet for appreciation and participation in the arts. All these activities not only develop a pride in the school, but form bonds of friendship and respect between students, their peers, and their sponsors.

One last and very important spirit flows through the student body, academic spirit. Though not everyone excels in scholarship, learning serves as the binding element of a school; without the need for education, schools would be unnecessary, and the relationships which grow among young people and between students and teachers, even the entire spirit of adolescence would be diminished. Education does exist, and it has brought together a lot of special relationships among people at Niles West. The great phenomenon occurs every year, and it brings about a strong spirit of community of which every student and teacher can be proud!

Nikoletta Antonakos



Junior Karen Noesen proves that you're only as young as you feel.



Enjoying the sights of Skokie and Morton Grove, Homecoming court members Paul Schramm and Kelli Lochner smile with delight. A special float was provided for court members.



Senior Kevin Hansen and date Lisa Tepper take a break from dancing and enjoy the company of friends. However, the tunes of "Betty, Betty, Betty" continue to play on!



BIG



GO



RED



Catching some rays and quenching their thirst on a bright summer day are juniors Carrie Gold and Dahlia Reznik. Lounging on the front lawn is one of the many ways that students take advantage of their free time and lunch mods.

Homecoming activities entertain students with various festive activities, games, and contests. Seniors Cari Miller, Lisa Theurer, and Stacey Lasker jump for joy as they win the graham cracker and peanut butter building contest.

And the winner is . . . Seniors Maria Moloney and Melissa Connell watch closely as Senada Arabelovic accepts the crown, making her Homecoming Queen for 1988.



Smiles appear on the faces of seniors Estelle Nikolakakis, Cindy Uehlein, and Gordie Mraovic as they make a final stop at their lockers before leaving the building. Being Friday, the only thing on their minds is WEEKEND FUN!!



Ending another brilliant performance, Expressions members receive applause from their fans in the audience. Many talented singers and dancers make this group success.



Is it the next Miss America?? Senior Jim Ciemny flaunts his outrageous figure on Halloween.



Homecoming King Calvin Ramseyer and Queen Senada Arabelovic sway to the first tune of the evening. Once again, Homecoming proves to be a great success!



I-N-D-I-A-N-S!! Junior Gloria Catanesi arouses the spirit of fans as she is supported by senior Linda Theotokatos.



Senior Ryoko Yamaguchi gives it her all as she performs for an anxious audience. Together, the cast of Fame made it a definite hit!

Doing It All

Doing It All. From freshman acting wildly at the frosh-soph mixer to seniors at their final formal prom, students enjoy all festivities. 60's, Mexican, and toga themes lure party-goers to a world of multicolored balloons and streamers, exotic music, and dancing.

Freshman year: mom's or dad's car pulls up to drop off mobs of underclassmen. Inside, students wrapped in bed sheets, bearing tie-dyes, shades, and beaded jewelry rock the night away.

The years go by, and students' agendas take on an overwhelming change.

Senior year: stretch limos cruise the streets of downtown Chicago in search for a "happening" spot. Packed with over-excited members of the class of '89, they party at their final dance — SENIOR PROM!! Tuxedos, corsages, high heels, fancy dresses, and LOTS of money contribute to a memorable last experience.

Finally, the four years have passed. Looking back, the class of '89 recalls fond memories with a smile. Reminiscences of friendships, parties, dances, clubs, and special relationships will remain with them always. The wild times at Niles West while Doing It All

Estelle Nikolakakas





Freshmen find the cafeteria to be the ideal place for gathering before school. Afterwards students must rush off to home-room and begin their day.

School plays provide fun and entertainment for the audience as well as the actors.



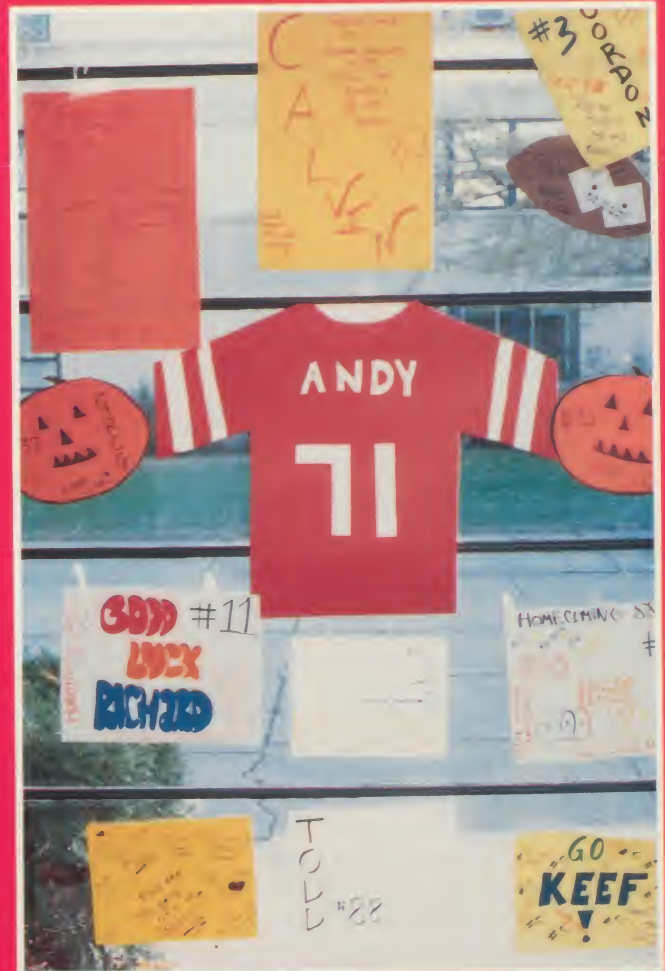
Bzzzz, another day as begun, the musical medley signaling homeroom classes LUNCH more classes clubs sports detentions dinner homework bed time. Definitely NOT a typical day in the life of a high schooler!!!!

Beginning with the early morning, the life of a NiWeHi student is off and running. Whether it be the task of catching the bus or waiting for a friend's ride, everyone is on their toes. The school day proceeds, but never without excitement. Whether it be escaping from study hall, to the cafeteria, lounging on the front lawn to get that "summer tan," or picking up a new spot to indulge an afternoon lunch, students find new and different ways to spend their day.

The after school scene provides even more excitement. Club meetings, detentions, and practices do not encompass the majority of the day. Many students find themselves shopping, going out with friends, or working part time. However, as the sun begins to set, students head for home. They grab a bite to eat, turn on the television, call a friend, and finally tend to some homework before heading to bed.

Freshmen are learning the NiWeHi ways as sophomores and juniors continue to practice this ritual, and seniors have mastered to DO IT ALL!!!!

Parveen Najiullah



SPIRIT — and an attempt to roll the Raiders off the board.



Indians parade on Oakton. GO BIG RED



Halloween brings out the beast in all of us. However, senior Marni Feig does not seem to be frightened, but rather friendly with her new found pal!



California Raisins were a popular item throughout the beginning of the year. This character came to be well-known, and could soon be found everywhere from T-shirts to keychains.

Red and white day is among the many amusing dress up days of Homecoming week. Freshmen join in on the fun of school spirit by proudly displaying their Indian colors for all to see.



—Mini— Magazine





Hunting through the library, underclassmen research information for their classes. Many students spend free time catching up on homework.

Great Outdoors (grat out dorz) *n* 1. hermit's nightmare 2. magazine used when potty training your dog 3. magazine you receive only when delivered to wrong address 4. what freshman are deprived of (until they receive open campus privileges)

Hot Rod (hot rod) *n* 1. chance for boys to drool over their dream cars 2. magazine that excites guys almost as much as the swimsuit issue of *Sports Illustrated* 3. features cars from Niles West parking lot

National Enquirer (nash ən- 1 in-kwir er) *n* 1. Michael Jackson's diary 2. keeps inquiring minds occupied in the check-out counter in Jewel 3. everything you ever wanted to know about nothing

Teen (ten) *n* 1. publication from which pictures of young men are torn and hung in lockers of underclassmen 2. girls' magazine that guys could benefit highly from 3. magazine devoted exclusively to problems of acne

Time (tim) *n* 1. 2:25 p.m. everyday 2. magazine that Enquirer gets its news from, but changes names 3. a spice used to flavor foods



Senior Jim Ciemny studies for his next final in the resource center. After three years at NiWeHi, finals become an accustomed event.



Home Ec. teacher, Marian Jaeschke, looks on as Susan Lieberman explains her project. Interior Design provides students with the chance to show their creativity.

Dating Evolution

Just as Poodle Skirts, Hula Hoops and Betty Boop have become a thing of the past, so have certain views towards dating. Girls no longer have to wait by the phone for that "Special Someone" to call or sit at home on a Saturday night because they remain dateless. Likewise, boys no longer need to spend weeks of hard earned money for their dates. The Eighties have arrived!

Throughout the years, the attitude toward teens dating has changed. Unlike the old days of the 50's and 60's, the 80's girl has no fear of asking a guy out. The guys no longer have to make all the plans or the first moves, so they feel less pressure. Twenty years ago, girls expected guys to pay for the dates. Now the girl often offers to pay for the date, or the couple goes dutch. If the couple desires to feast at a nice restaurant or attend a school dance, the costs add up. By splitting the cost, the couple can afford special activities, while both contributing to the relationship.

In the past years, not a guy or girl dared to stay home on a Saturday night—"Date Night." It proved deadly if a person remained dateless. At the present time, the weekend allows kids to "Hangout" or "Cut-loose" either with buddies or out on a date. Dates do not occur on a set night anymore, but rather when the couple can afford to go out! Not having a boyfriend or girlfriend presents few problems since people seem to like being free and choose to hangout in large groups, instead of clinging as couples. The 80's brings less pressure to have a boy-girl friend relationship than before.

Throughout the years, attitudes towards



many of life's aspects, including dating have changed. Showing more equality in relationships, no longer do girls depend on guys for the first move or for the expenses of the dates. Less pressure falls on the teens to date, because the 80's kids feel content with their friends. If kids want to go out they will; if not, at least they won't be called, as they used to say, a "Square."

Mindy Grossberg

Sharing special moments can be as simple as five minutes spent at chemistry homework, or as complicated as a ten-second kiss. Capturing these moments is not difficult, because they are so special.

tracts a girl to a guy:	
personality	57.1%
appearance	50%
sense of humor	14.3%
charm and depth	9.5%
intelligence	7.1%
money	4.8%

Ladies, though you enjoy your fancies, it is important to understand the male species as much as possible.

--- 51.4% of guys at West are too timid sometimes to ask a girl out, while 40.5% have an unending supply of courage.

What attracts guys most to a gal?

appearance	59.5%
personality	43.2%
sense of humor	8.1%
charm, aura, & maturity	8.1%
intelligence	5.4%
same interests	2.7%

pastime. When they were asked, 94.9% of students said they enjoy dating, only 1.3% said they did not. Gentlemen, pay attention. If you would like to ask a girl out here's what she's looking for:

--- 71.4% of girls at West wait for the guy to ask her out, only 28.6% will make the leap and ask you.

--- 31% of the girls at West will flirt to capture your hearts, 50% will be typically ladies and play it cool.

Here are the most common things that at-

Students, Friends And ____?

Niles West students are very confident about having friends of mixed sexes. In fact, hardly anyone has reservations about spending time with members of the opposite sex. Here are the results of some questions, which probed the feelings students have about each other.

Do you feel confident about having friends of

mixed sexes?

--- 97.5% answered YES, only 1.3% answered NO.

Do you have a small group of friends you are closest to, or are you one person in a big crowd of friends?

--- 60.8% are part of a small crowd, 21.5% are one in a big crowd.

As for dating, almost everyone enjoys that

Making The Scene . . .

With Friends

RRRRRing! As the bell for the next class sounds, students depart from their confined classrooms and emerge into the hallways, congregating with friends they've seen just the period before. Only a precious five minutes remain for brief conversation with classmates travelling in the same direction. However, having friends with whom to share those few moments greatly enriches that time. Friendships, an integral part of high school, provide students the environment in which to grow not only academically, but socially as well.

Whether in the cafeteria, resource centers, or the Oakton Lobby, friends always talk jovially to one another. On one of those off days when the sun doesn't shine or studying all night does not pay off for an exam, and everything else simply goes every which way but the way intended, knowing there is a smiling friend to reach out to provides comfort and encouragement.

When entering high school as freshmen, students felt everything loomed big and foreign in front of them. The older students had already established their positions and identities, leaving the freshmen feeling a bit insecure about where they stood. But during that first day, students made new acquaintances which soon developed into lasting friendships, creating memories of never-to-be-forgotten happy times and not so happy times.

Treasured moments and treasured memories are synonymous with friendships. Returning to school after long vacations and weekends becomes easier and a little less foreboding knowing expeditions and experiences can be shared with friends. As the number of days until graduation dwindles, the realization that friends will soon embark on their separate paths becomes more and more of a reality, and they find saying good-bye the hardest part of high school. Each becomes richer for having known the other person, for as the favorite movie "It's a Wonderful Life" stresses, "No man is a failure who has friends."

Christina Gabriel



A smile during a conversation can leave a lasting impression on a friend. Students often share simple moments that add up to lasting relationships.

Sensational Summer

The last bell of the school year rings, and suddenly, the summer begins. An indescribable sense of freedom overwhelms students, and with their free time during the summer, they relax and forget about everything associated with school. For many people, this includes friends, too. When the summer break begins, most students do not disregard their friendships, but extend them to new and exciting summertime experiences. A chemistry study group may turn into a beach party; a filmstrip becomes a trip to a film festival; a few lunch mods become a day at the Taste of Chicago; or a gym period becomes a volleyball game at the park. Though not as simple as seeing friends at school everyday, making summer plans often provides richer experiences with friends to cherish always.

Several junior football fans interrupt their conversation to watch the kick-off fly deep into the opposition's territory. Football games and other sports activities set the perfect scene for friendly get-togethers.



Making The Scene . . .

The 60's Relived, Or Just Revisited?

Ours is a strange generation. Walking through our carpeted hallways, one can't help but see the social groups that make up the diverse population of Niles West, each with its own unique hair style, dress code, taste in music, behavior or some combination of the above which distinguishes it from the rest.

Many of these groups think they original, but the truth is that just about everything they do has already been done by someone else, probably some-

be improved upon; if one adds to it, it becomes unnatural. Girls did not primp in front of the mirror, and sports especially body building, were frowned upon by students of both sexes. How amazing and strange all this sounds to us. Few things are of greater concern to our generation than appearance, and people are spending more money to improve what nature has given them than ever before. Nature might be great, but it requires a little help. Girls start wearing make up



Freshmen get involved in the school scene right away with elections in the fall. Eric Orslic supervises the novice voters.

one who went to school in the late 1960's and early 70's, for that was when originality and individuality were really in style. The 1960's were a time of rebellion against authority and establishment, but they were also a time when teenagers had fun and sometimes upset the status quo just for the thrill of it.

Some students in those days believed a thought commonly held at the time: nature cannot

be improved upon; if one adds to it, it becomes unnatural. Girls did not primp in front of the mirror, and sports especially body building, were frowned upon by students of both sexes. How amazing and strange all this sounds to us. Few things are of greater concern to our generation than appearance, and people are spending more money to improve what nature has given them than ever before. Nature might be great, but it requires a little help. Girls start wearing make up

What really distinguished stu-

dents of that era from other groups was their tendency to have an opinion about everything and to be outspoken about those opinions. For instance, during a teacher's strike, the students who supported the teachers would join them in the picket lines. Three years ago when the teachers picketed here for higher wages, no citations of concerned students were reported, and the overwhelming response of students was one of delight: an extra vacation — what a nice treat! As for political involvement of students nowadays, there is considerable interest in the national elections, but less in local politics. Some students worked this past fall for republican and democratic campaigns. For the election of members of the school board, which affect students' lives more immediately, however, there is much less inclination to be involved.

Perhaps the students' greatest concern was the war in Vietnam. They generally shared in the view that the United States had no business being in the war. But whatever opinion they held, their concern and awareness caused them to be confused and disillusioned. These thoughts were reflected in their writings and artwork collected in OPUS 1, which is now known as West of Edens. Underground newspapers also emerged at this time and were about the length of our present West Word issues. Some similarities in the spirit of those journalists and authors of papers such as SPLAT! reflect the desire to give extra opinions on current events.

Just as students in those days had opinions for almost every

subject, so were they interested in almost everything. Religion and race were not things taken into consideration as much as they are now, with the popularity of ethnic clubs and Bible study groups. Nevertheless, in such a diversely populated high school, most students find

"Underground newspapers, the predecessors to SPLAT!, emerged at this time."

common interest with people of differing races and religious beliefs, and many students date people of other backgrounds.

As for disturbing the status quo, students then perhaps had more threatening restrictions to battle than today. For instance, there was a strictly enforced dress code which require boys to wear slacks and button-down shirts and girls to wear blouses and skirts which reached below the knee. Girls would not be allowed to come to school wearing pants, until a plan was devised by the student body. Through announcements in the underground newspaper, a day was designated when all the girls were to come to school wearing pants. Many did, and because it would be absurd to send home nearly half the student body, they were allowed to stay, and the restrictions began changing to the students' favor.

These days, the battles are fought through the student senate. No individual groups seem to take the initiative in

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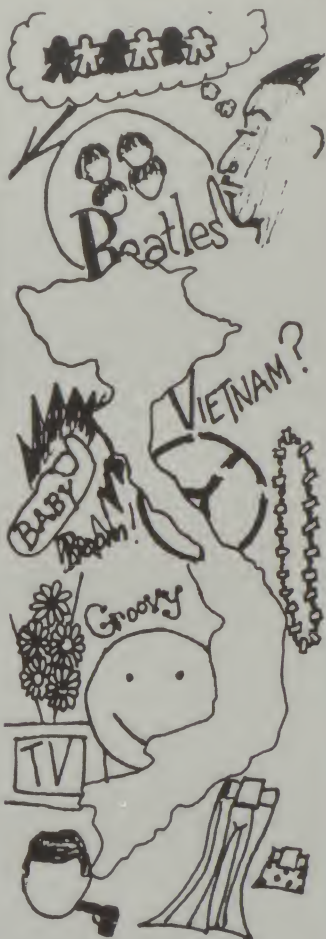
fighting a restriction, though the walkman movement was begun by complaints and editorials written by students. Most students seem content with the school environment, though there are closed halls and food is not allowed in the Oakton Lobby.



There exists far less oppression and reason for anger for students today than there was twenty years ago. Though we are products of a different era, students nowadays share in many ways the spirit of students twenty years ago. We emulate them quite often, wearing tie dye shirts, torn jeans, looking very much like "Dead heads," and we enjoy the music that they created. We have our own individual styles, however, that distinguish our two generations. Students now are much more involved in school activities, sports and clubs. Group efforts occur within the established

systems of the school, the representative bodies such as the senate and class cabinets. In short, there seems to exist more of a sense of school spirit through everything that is done.

Mikhail Lyubansky



Great Presidents hang on the wall behind him, but Junior Richard Yang does not merely look to the past. He concentrates building a bright future for Niles West and for himself.

Bush's Victory Post-Inauguration Results

In a great election year as the one recently passed, opinions of students are aroused and displayed in a surprisingly strong voice. The school mock election found George Bush the victor of the 1988 presidential election, but how did they feel about their decision afterwards, and what other concerns were raised by the election?

How do you see the next four years under Bush's Administration?

--- 64.6% see the term as favorable, 25.3% see it otherwise. An important thought for teenagers as they grow is whether they feel they have an influence with a vote.

--- 58.2% said they think it would give them power, 37.9% disagreed. Finally, many outside issues were brought up in the campaign. It was hard not to begin to become aware of current events while following the election. Here are the issues students listed as the greatest human concerns:

threat of war/need for peace	32.9%
the hungry, impoverished, homeless	22.8%
AIDS threat and sex education	10.1%
material success	6.3%
the environment	5.1%
spiritual hunger	5.1%
religious/political freedom	2.5%



Sharing thoughts and ideas are important parts of students' days. Much learning goes on outside of the classroom in discussion with friends.

Making The Scene . . .

With Upperclassmen

No one can deny that the more concentration one puts into something, the less of a problem it becomes, and the more benefit it produces. Inspiration is all one needs to open himself to billions of possibilities. School has been established to provide the necessary inspiration. It introduces students not only to knowledge but also to other people and interests. Seniors often look back to their years at West and wonder why they didn't do certain things, many times regretting opportunities passed. But because of their somewhat developed maturity, seniors also look back and realize how many things they have accomplished, and how much they have enjoyed themselves. A simple comparison between

the attitudes of people who participate in activities can be made, for instance. Freshmen love to participate in clubs to be "in the crowd," sophomores participate passively, juniors because they begin to realize how good it would look on their transcripts, but seniors through the years have grown to truly care about the organizations and the people in them. They have broken from the crowd and become individuals, doing it all because they realize their presence makes a difference. It is an arrogant, yet humbling mindset, since along with individuality comes responsibility. It is a mindset that may be applied to all facets of life, especially in high school.

Seniors have struggled to build themselves, so now they live freely, without



the burden or need to impress others. They have done it all, and they are having it all!

Seniors' Empire

Most seniors have come to the conclusion that they hold the reverence of the entire student body and consider Niles West their "Empire." Wherever this notion emerged from, juniors are wise to the misconcep-



The *West Word* is very popular among students, and Senior Sally Ko especially enjoys the editorials written by her classmates.

tion and accept this absurd facade. They know that seniors are all talk and no action.

Juniors, however, do have a slight sense of admiration for their fellow upperclassmates. Seniors exhibit a feeling of freedom as they "float" through their last year at West with a carefree attitude; they stand ready to take a step higher in life, and ready to respond to different experiences regardless which path of life they choose.

On the whole, juniors and seniors consider each other friends, sharing mutual admiration. Toward the end of the school year, the groups become even closer, as the juniors learn the tricks of the trade to becoming "perfect" seniors. Eventually, the "Empire" is handed down to the new group of classmen who, like their senior friends, try to appear as the dominant force in the school. So continues this never-ending high school tradition . . .

Karrie Karahalios



While conducting freshmen elections, Senate vice president Eric Orsic is almost fooled by seniors Eric Biljetina and Scott Moreth, who try to pose as freshmen.

A car, a guy, and a gal - all the fixings for a date, or, in this case, a preparation for their final Homecoming. Seniors Henry Rodriguez and Melissa Connell put a lot of effort in Homecoming events, committed to enjoying themselves.



The Joker Strikes Again

The Joker stormed into the office at Niles West in search of a hiding place from the Dynamic Duo. He marveled at the thought of seeing a rerun of one of his performances on the t.v. screens there. To the Joker's dismay, they were not televisions, but Macintosh computers. The cunning culprit soon got over his misery because he discovered the senior student files and began changing names to better suit his deranged disposition. When Batman and Robin arrived, they found the office swimming in banners of printer paper, on which the Joker had printed the changed names. "Holy candy corn cakes, Batman! Look at this!" Robin held up the paper, and they saw ...

Matt was Lincoln instead of Adams ...
Mia was a subtractler instead of an Adler ...
Suzanne was off instead of Ahn ...
Lisa were then instead of Arnow ...
Jed was humble instead of Arrogante ...
Marty was Mozart instead of Bach ...
Esther was a pond instead of a Bae ...
Aaron bakes instead of Boyles ...
Janine was dim instead of Breit ...
Neil was a chauffer instead of a Butler
Bob was chills instead of Burns

George was a blister instead of a Callas
Peggy was Lipton instead of Campbell
Carlos was houses instead of Casas ...
Rachel was ice cream instead of a Cohen
Michael was Carrington instead of Colby
Andy was Abott instead of Costello ...
Arnold was a flight instead of a Cruz ...
Steve was a sailor instead of a Farmer
Megan was a silver plate instead of a Goldish ...

Urik was a school day instead of a Halliday ...

Lenny was dogs instead of Katz ...
Ron was a hug instead of a Kiss ...
Julie was a Dominick's instead of a Kohl
Andy was la jusice instead of LaLiberty
Judy was a mile instead of a Lapp ...
Corinna was a crime instead of a Law
Ed was Levis instead of Lee ...
Beth was Belgium instead of Lichtenstein ...

Charlie was a woman instead of a Man
Chris was a panther instead of a Minx
Keith was McHistory instead of McMath
David was Garfield instead of Morris ...
Mindy was a pastawoman instead of a Nudelman ...

Nancy was a pencil instead of a Penn
Nicole was the cost instead of a Price
Tim was a king instead of a Queen ...
Calvin was a goat's ear instead of a Ramseyer ...

Cyndi was a cat later instead of a Ratnow ...

Amy was Milano instead of Roma ...
Wally was Vanna White instead of Sajdak ...

Linda was Marshall Fields instead of Sax
Danielle was a dancer instead of a Singer ...

Rea-Kyung was a poem instead of a Song ...

Becka was a canoe instead of a Shipp
Li Mei was IBM instead of Wang ...
Lisa was a prisoner instead of a Warden
Evan was Marlboro instead of Winston
Maria was wrong instead of Wright ...
Janey was me instead of Yu ... and
Leonard was a twinkie lady instead of a Zingerman.

Swiftly Passing Days

As this the final year begins, seniors have a lot to think about. Some of them will go to college to continue studies while others will enter the world of work.

Recalling the past three years of high school, seniors have many stored experiences that will last forever. Recollections of athletic events, the drudgery of every school day, Homecoming, and Prom remain long after graduation. This last year marks a change in the lives of all seniors who realize that this ends four years of sharing experiences with friends they may never see again. Guys and gals seem more unified, with strong feelings of togetherness. New-found maturity helps them realize that they don't have much time left to be with each other for in June, the seniors will go their own separate ways.

Tim Queen

The football team plays its last games as Indians, hoping for a win to make the memory sweet. Meanwhile, the varsity cheerleaders relish their moment in front of the fans.



On the bottom was written, "Boy Blunder instead of Boy Wonder! ... The Drowning Duo! ... I've escaped, Caped Crusaders! — the Joker."

"Ratts, Batman. What now?"

"Tune in tomorrow, same Bat time."

"Same Bat channel, right?"

"Right, Boy Blunder. — I mean, Boy Wonder."

**Megan Goldish
Nikoletta Antonakos**

Weathering It

THE HEAT. It melts the snow away, causes plants to grow, and brings a new generation of animals to life. It also dries our clothing and our hair and cooks our food. Without heat, many things would be impossible. Most people can't tolerate the thought of an ice age in which there would be no spring or summer trips to the hot sands of Florida. Heat caused by the sun means summer, tanned skin, and no school, and these in turn represent relief to every burned-out, almost-crazed student longing for a time to experience non-thought-requiring activities. Towards the end of the school year, in late May and early June, a time

when the brains of students have reached the "relief needed" level, heat also causes a slow-down in academic production. Summer means a vacation for thought cells, and the school suddenly fills with sweaty, zombie-like students.

An immediate remedy for heat exhaustion is a cool atmosphere. A few years ago, this cure was "attempted." The goal: keep the building cool; the method: blocking up half the windows in the school. The students still feel the results: less air circulation, less sunlight, and more need to keep doors open to create a draft in the class. Of course, these procedures brought on growing complaints of noisy hallways, so the halls were closed,

causing more people to flock to places like the over-crowded cafeteria, which, in turn, caused more gathered heat and more unrest among students. An additional remedy for noisy halls appeared suddenly over one summer: the infamous carpeting. One can only wonder of what synthetic fibers that turf consists, but it certainly has the

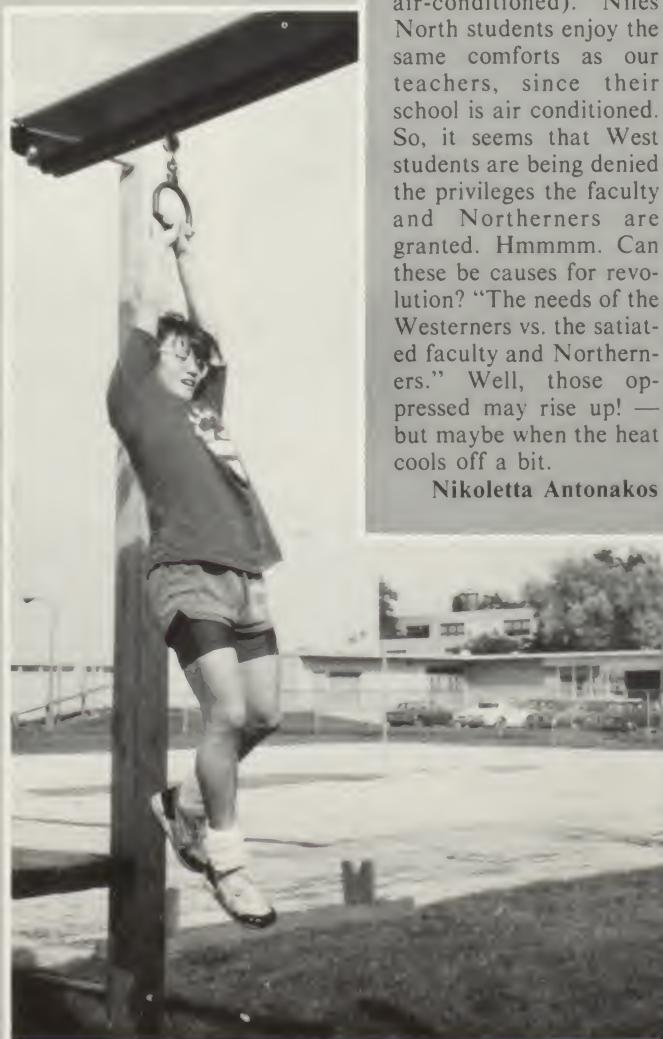
capacity to trap heat and especially humidity. Apparently, the decisions made many years ago have not only not solved the problem, but have also caused more problems. Overall, the students have been left to suffer the heat from both Mother Nature and the angry faculty (the latter having few complaints about the heat because the teacher's lounge is air-conditioned). Niles North students enjoy the same comforts as our teachers, since their school is air conditioned. So, it seems that West students are being denied the privileges the faculty and Northerners are granted. Hmmm. Can these be causes for revolution? "The needs of the Westerners vs. the satiated faculty and Northerners." Well, those oppressed may rise up! — but maybe when the heat cools off a bit.

Nikoletta Antonakos



NO WAY OUT. The sweltering heat is not outside, but inside the building, causing these students to race for the door.

Enjoying the unusually warm fall weather is one thing, but Senior Hak Kang imagines himself in the jungle, swing from vine to branch.



Making The Scene . . .



Turn, turn, turn: To every season there is a sport, too. Whether skateboarding, playing football, or skiing, each activity is topped off with a smile.

Whatever Suits The Season

Skiing down a steep, snow-capped mountain . . . picnicking in a local park . . . basking in the sun's heat . . . raking crumpled brown leaves . . . Students enjoy all seasons because each one provides its own character and activities. Many students prefer summer because it serves as a two and a half month vacation from school. Others enjoy the brisk weather and outdoor sports of winter. Spring and fall provide a "hap-

py medium" between the warmest and coldest periods in the yearly cycle.

Fashion, clothing, and style also vary as the weather changes. In the winter, worn-out brown leather jackets, warm furry mittens, and heavy wool sweaters become a must. Spring time offers the opportunity to begin wearing outrageous hot pink t-shirts, white cotton pants, lighter-weight windbreakers, and docksiders (without

socks, of course!) By the time summer arrives, skimpy neon bathing suits, khaki shorts, and revealing tank tops prevail. Fall clothing consists of blue denim jackets, ripped, washed-out jeans, and long-sleeved plaid flannel shirts.

No matter what the weather, sweatshirts always provide an easy solution to the morning quandary of what of wear. Whether the temperature soars to 90 degrees or takes a dip

toward the zero mark, students wear colorful sweatshirts. Some advertise a well-known college such as Kansas with its red, yellow, and blue Jayhawk; others indicate patronage at the Hard Rock Cafe and Ed Debevis.

Whatever the season, students enjoy fun activities and a wide variety of clothing to "suit" all types of weather.

Debbie Brodsky

Entertainment - An Imaginative Other World

To express their abounding cultural interests students may participate in activities, or they may observe others performing them. Though many students sing or play an instrument, most also enjoy listening to tunes on the radio or watching music videos. They may even spend an evening at the Civic Opera House to enjoy a musical. Cultural interest don't always reflect students talents. Sitting in a theater with a bag of popcorn and a Diet Pepsi provides many people with all the entertainment they need. For simple amusement, reruns of "M.A.S.H." entertain and relax many students. When television becomes tiresome, a quiet evening reading a paperback, playing the Nintendo Entertainment System, or spending an extravagant evening at the theater watching "Les Miserables" takes the students into an imaginative other world . . . When students find interest in an activity, they discover others who enjoy the activity and introduce them to many other interest as well. Some of these interests merely remain enjoyable activities, while others become increasingly involving, but all relieve school worries and provide simple pleasure.



Meet George Jetson! Cartoons still hold a place in the hearts of teenagers, providing a silly break in all the serious periods of study.



Throughout the day, the sound of music fills the corridors and classrooms of the Music Wing.

Eat, Relax, And Be Merry

The most common pastime for students, aside from catching up on lost sleep, comes in the forms of a variety of entertainment. Many weekends are spent at the movies, but everyday, students enjoy music and eating snacks and real food.

Here are the top radio stations tuned in by West students:

88.7 FM	WLUW	27.8%
105.9 FM	WCKG	19.0%
94.7 FM	Z95	15.2%
97.9 FM	the Loop	10.1%
101.1 FM	Q101	6.3%
96.3 FM	B96	5.1%

The weekend delights. Here are the favorite types of movies watched by West students:

Comedy	32.9%
Action	20.3%
Romance	17.7%
Drama	12.7%
Horror	12.7%
Musical	2.5%

Finally, nutrition may keep students' bodies going, but taste counts a lot, too. Here are the favorite foods of West students:

Pizza	21.5%
Chinese	10.1%
Junk food	10.1%
Italian	7.6%
Seafood	7.4%
Fruit and salad	6.3%



No snoring allowed!
Even teachers get caught in the act of sleeping, though they don't have to worry about getting detention because they weren't paying attention in class.



The Knights of King Arthur's Round Table may never have had as interesting discussions as do seniors James Lee and Ryoko Yamaguchi. Most entertainment is more enjoyable when spent with a friend.

PEOPLE





On a special dress-up day, senior Andree Abelkis proudly displays his original apparel. Activities, such as toga day, provide a break from everyday routines.

Freshman (fresh' mən) *n* 1. undermost classman who anxiously waits in line for the elevator 2. student who collects pennies thrown at him and adds to his collection 3. teacher's pet

Sophomore (sof' ə-mor') *n* 1. sophisticated morons 2. mock freshman by throwing pennies collected from previous year 3. rule buses since they are the oldest still riding them

Junior (joon' yēr) *n* 1. victim of ACT and SAT 2. student who break piggy bank for first prom night 3. an almost senior 4. expert at getting family car

Senior (sen' yēr) *n* 1. too cool for words 2. student hit by sudden plague of senioritis 3. student planning to be freshman once again 4. *best* friend of dean

Staff (stäf) *n* 1. group of people dedicated in handing out referrals 2. large pole used to hang a flag 3. worker at brain factory



The night is still young for Sandy Delgado and Lambros Kalamaris as they prepare to leave the Homecoming dance. Dinner plans are now being anticipated.



Monday mornings provide the opportunity for students to compare how their weekends were spent. Juniors Kristin Gramatis and Stacy Alper share Meredith Holt's joy as she explains how she met "Mr. Right".

Andree Abelkis

Carol Abraham

Mathew Adams

Mia Adler



Suzanne Ahn

Jerry Alcozer

Mark Anderberg

Tecla Annes



Nikoletta Antonakos

Ted Apostolopoulos

Senada Arabelovic

Mark Argetsinger



Desperately Seeking Senior Status

SENIOR YEAR FINALLY ARRIVED, but my brain was someplace else. I walked down the hallway, my mind not retaining anything, my body going through the normal routine: heel hitting the ground, passing the motion to the arch then the ball of the foot, ankle and toes bending, knee bending, foot coming off the ground, hip putting to the forward motion again. My teeth gnashed down on the spicy gum; my legs kept their steady movement, pressing the rubber sole of my tennis shoe against the rigid loops of carpet. My mind didn't notice any of these motions (I could have still been in English as far as my brain was concerned), my eyes didn't see anything around me, and I really didn't care to think about what I wasn't thinking about. I walked in the perfect state of mellow mindedness ...

Suddenly I dropped my book, creat-

ing a horrible break in rhythm! I tried to continue in fluent motion by keeping the sound of the steps in my mind — THUNK!! lift .. THUNK! lift .. With slightly fragmented assurance, I bent over and replaced the book in the space left for it between my waist and the folders resting on my arm. Playing the game of nonchalance, I put this incident in the back of my mind, in a pile reserved for reasons to be paranoid. The pile would grow and grow until a situation like this one would cause an overflow, and I would be overcome by an army of paranoia stimulators.

As if I had never let the book fall from my grip, I continued walking in my semi-befuddled state of mind. People would converse, but I would just walk, not noticing that they were moving or talking or grimacing; I would walk getting dizzy from the dull light,

crowded hall, and ringing sound in my ears ...

Unexpectedly, a face caught my eye, a voice filled my ears, but in a moment it passed. I turned, blindly, returning the greeting to someone whom I didn't recognize until a few moments later. I walked into my science class, and suddenly a beautiful word filled my head: sleep. Unfortunately for my weary mind, science teachers have a wonderful system of keeping students awake. Finally, I hopped on the bus at the end of the day, and though I couldn't remember much of the day, I managed to remember the sensation of feeling for the first time the difference between an underclassman and ME. The mounds of paranoia relaxing melted away ...

Nikoletta Antonakos



Assessing the damage, seniors Henry Rodriguez and Melissa Connell gaze at Henry's toilet papered car. Varsity football members are often victims of spirited Indian fans.



Jed Arrogante

Martin Bach

Esther Bae

Ji Bae

Eunice Baek

Michael Bartholomew

Michael Basan

Michelle Bauer

Marc Bechar

Israel Behar

Michelle Beller

Susan Bezanes

Jim Bibizas
Jeremy Biewer
Eric Biljetina
Maria Bisbikis



Suzanne Bohigian
Andrew Bok
Kathryn Born
Keith Bosshart



Aaron Boyles
Janine Breit
Jonathan Breitzer
Christine Brown



AH! The pleasure of an afternoon nap overcomes Senior Scott Gripman, and relaxing dreams fill his head.



SUDDENLY- Scott's dreams change to nightmares! He dreams Mr. Geismann is chasing him with a gun!! His heart begins to pound thunderously.



WOAH! Scott jerks out of his dream, and wakes up to the reality of his English class. This haunting memory will keep Scott from falling asleep in class for quite awhile.



Karla Bruno

Gregory Burdo

Jason Burk

David Burkhart

Robert Burns

Kelly Butera

Neil Butler

Eric Cabana

Roadjee Calara

George Callas

Margaret Campbell

Michelle Campbell



College night brought with it many plans and questions about the future. Principal Donald Ring explains to senior Rachel Posner the different available opportunities.

From Past To Present

As we reach out our hand
That diploma we grasp.
We think of the memories
Of the years that have passed.
The tears fill up our eyes
Because the time has gone.
We will start a new life,
As now we move on.
We recall freshman year
And that dreadful first day,
Now we've reached the end
We have to go away.
We'll always have memories
Of our years from day one.
High school may be ending-
But a new life's begun.

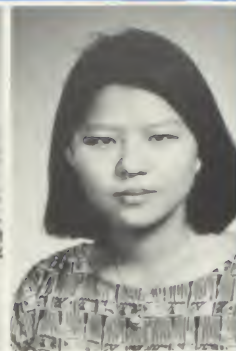
Gayle Schwartz

Marcos Cannella

Carlos Casas

Danielle Chams

Marsha Chang



Yiwen Chang

Shoma Chatterjee

Victor Chin

Rina Chitman



Amy Cho

Hyun Cho

Byung Choi

Connie Choi



Jeannie Choi

Maria Choi

Shirley Choi

Sun Hee Choi



Woo-Jin Choi

Joseph Chung

Thomas Chung

Jim Ciemny





During an A.P. chemistry laboratory session, senior Jarwoo Jung patiently waits for the substance to heat up on the Bunsen burner flame. A.P. classes provide students the chance to receive college credit while in high school.

Better Than Counting Sheep

Slipping further towards the end of the desk, a student starts to dream while dozing off. Suddenly, he realizes that the teacher will react furiously if she sees him taking a nap during a lecture. Students find it difficult to stay awake during boring classes throughout the day, but some students find that the following methods provide ways to stay up and alert.

"Day dream about being He-man, destroying Skeletor, and marrying Shera."

Mike Hartman '90

"Split our split-ends."

Tracy Hirshman & Holly Kahn '90

"Count the squares on the ceiling."

Danny Klapman '90

"See how many pieces of cherry gum I can fit in my mouth."

Scott Ledwon '90

"Color with my crayolas."

Susan Lieberman '90

"Dream of how the country will be when I am in charge."

Jami Mandl '90

"Try to color the whole desktop before the bell rings."

Paul Schramm '89

"Fantasize about being a giant and lifting the school with one finger."

Matt Silverberg '92

"Look at the person next to me and count how many pimples he has."

Lana Urso '91

"Dream about making a birdie putt on the eighteenth hole at Augusta, to win the Masters' Championship."

Scott Whelan '90

Rachel Garland



Faculty member Mr. Geis doubles as hall monitor and math tutor as he gives Senior Eric Bilgintina some extra pointers to complete his homework.



In another world, senior Halina Orawiec rests comfortably in the nurse's office. Many students resort to nurses Carlsen and Scarborough when feeling ill.

Lori Clark
 Rachel Cohen
 Michael Colby
 Joan Colletta



Melissa Connell



Ritchie Cordero



Andy Costello



Suzanne Covington
 Shannon Crowley
 Arnold Cruz
 Christine Curtis



Listening in on senior Kirsten Gieler's telephone call, senior Kevin Steele takes part in the conversation. Telephones are in constant use as NiWeHi students contact family and friends to share the latest news.



Kevin Curtis
Sarkis Danavi
Yana Dashevsky
Kendra Davis

What's Hot, What's Not

Fads come and fads go. That will never change. Year after year all students, freshmen through seniors, remain slaves to fashion. A problem arises when the fads exit the fashion scene before they enter the student's closet. To get a head start on the fads and fashions, students can refer to this up-to-date guide on What's Hot and What's Not.

What's Hot

Subways
Tapered
Top-siders
Single Earrings
Swatches
Tie dye
Convertibles
Stonewashed
Senior cut day
Reeboks
Prom
Class of 89

What's Not

Mom's Meatloaf
Floods
Penny loafers
Tattoos
28-Function digital watches
Squirt shirts
Dad's station wagon
Plaid
Freshman orientation
Converse
Frosh-Soph Mixer
Everyone else

Brian Hansen



William De La Huerta



Bill DeAcetis



Ever Deguzman



Jennifer Delreal
Joseph Delfin
May De Las Alas
Noel Deguzman

Grow, Growing, Grown At Last

The high school days represent a special time in the lives of all students, and as the years go on, students go through different thought patterns which make the years more interesting and exciting.

Some students show freshman fears by a lack of sleep; others wear a scared facial expression while walking down the huge halls. The first day of school brings the real test. Uncertainty about making a lot of friends or none, getting hard classes or easy, losing the way or getting laughed at, keeps students on their toes. These normal fears lessen as the year goes on, and as students feel more at home.

As a sophomore, a student can definitely say that the maturity shows. No longer does the student run to the side of the hall when an upperclassman starts walking towards him, nor does he hesitate to walk into the cafeteria for

fear of getting something thrown at him. A sophomore believes that he can conquer the world if necessary.

Juniors, finally in the upper half of the school, start to develop the attitude of big shots. With no need to prove anything to anyone, a junior assumes that an upperclassman will look up to him and as a result he walks with his head held high. Most juniors don't allow the pressures of their junior year get them down or diminish their social life.

At last students prepare for the final stretch. After three strenuous years, maturity has finally reached a new peak. The difficulty of school may not lessen, but the social life setting becomes the best ever. Now students must spend hours in deep thought about the future options hoping for ideas to form a perspective for the future.

Hilary Kaden

Studying intently, senior Niki Antonakos completes her homework assignment. Many students complete their assignments at school and keep their evenings free to go out.



Jessica Dickstein

Heather Donlon

Christine Doroba

Dennis Dougherty



George Douvikas

Ivy Drazner

Richard Dubin

Jill Dubrow



Jennifer Duda

Maggie Duffy

Ares Ebreo

Dollie Espinosa





Tom Farmakis

Steven Farmer

Anees Farooq

Marni Feig

Elizabeth Feldman

Randy Feldman

Edson Fernandez

Laura Ferrin

Lisa Fischbach

Amy Flack

Joel Fogelson

Jeffrey Foss



Animated smiles light up the halls of Niles West as seniors Sandy Jaggi and Heather McCulloh pose for the picture. Friendships are continually made throughout a student's high school years.



Faster than a speeding bullet, leaving his opponents behind, an upperclassman rushes into the endzone. Physical education provides an opportunity for students to unleash their stored energy during the school day.

Passing Period

The long awaited bell,
signals students to stand.
They pour into the hallways,
with books and pens in hand.
They hate the violent struggle,
just to make it through the crowd.
They go deaf from hallway sounds,
That usually seem quite loud.
They happily greet their friends,
and often shove their foes.
After reaching their lockers,
students see how fast time goes.
They roll through their books,
and slam their lockers shut,
while facing strange looks.
Students race up the stairs,
as halls begin to clear.
They glance at their watches,
and find the second bell near.
When they arrive at their classes,
their moods become more sour.
They'll repeat the same ritual,
in three-quarters of an hour.

Michelle Bauer



Student Ivy Kron considers all her options as she converses with a ROTC representative. Many college and military programs were invited to participate at college night.

Gina Frake
Christina Gabriel
Xyla Gatilao
Ann Gazer



Jason Gelber
Marc Geslani
Jerry Gianakakos
Kirsten Gieler





Jeff Goby

April Grandinetti

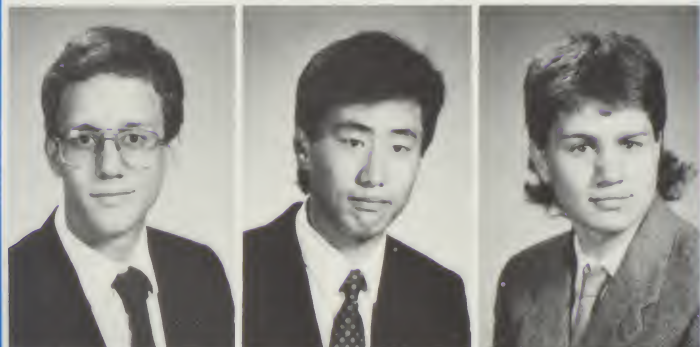
Scott Gripman



Mindy Grossberg

Sebouh Gueyikian

Claudia Halbac



Urik Halliday

James Han

Brian Hansen



Kevin Hansen

Rebecca Hansen

Doris Haromi



Andreas Harris

Judy Hartman

Michael Havdala

Student-athlete Beatrise Revelins does it all, balancing academics and volleyball! Many students enjoy the competition interscholastic sports provide.



Carl Helwing

Melinda Hepner



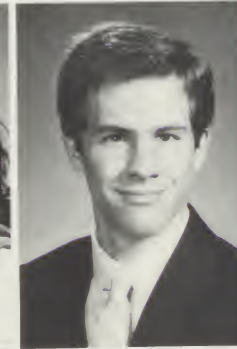
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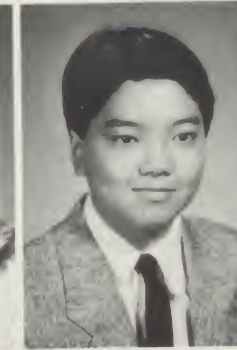
Tahli Hoffman

Robert Holton



Pam Homicke

Richard Horiike



Paul Hormis

Gaylyn Hortelano



Contemplating her college choices, senior Judy Hartman awaits a meeting with her guidance counselor. Counselors provide an instrumental role in the selection of colleges and provide students with transcripts, applications and test scores.

Career Choices — A Senior's Big Decision

Businessmen, attorneys, ... accountants, doctors, ... engineers, secretaries, ... teachers, artists, ... What is it going to be seniors? Searching for the answers along with the appropriate post high school institutions, most seniors still seem mystified.

Though NiWeHi offers various career oriented classes, as child development, accounting, interior decorating and economics, students continue to look at all available avenues. Different factors influence different individuals. Some go for the prestige, others for the money and finally others for personal happiness and success. Senior Janey Yu commented, "I want a career that interests me but at the same time I want the money and prestige."

As seniors decide on the career choices, they must evaluate their chosen college for its success in the appropriate field of study they have chosen. Law bound students consider the prestigious law schools that may give a head-start for their future careers. Prominent business schools for those inclined in entrepreneurship. Music and art schools for those inspired in the arts. On the job training facilities for those wanting a quick start to life. The list continues ... And seniors seem more puzzled than before with the wide variety of opportunities available.

Parveen Najiullah



Humberto Hortua

Michael Horwich

Stacy Hosch

Cheri Howe

Tina Hrajnoha

Sharon Huang

Kristina Hugel

Anne Humphrey

Michael Huss
 Rummana Hussain
 Jung Hwang
 Sae Hwang
 Sung-Hae Hwang
 Jacob Idichandy

 Eva Incze
 Sandra Jaggi
 Lenny Jamero
 Suzette Jaskolka
 Jaewoo Jeong
 Christopher Jesse

 Daniel Johnson
 Shalini Joshi
 Daniel Kachenchai
 Tangruth Kachenchai
 Hilary Kaden
 Lambros Kalamaris

 Dimitria Kanellakis
 Hak Joon Kang
 Joanne Kang
 Tina Kao
 Matt Karlesky
 Lenny Katz

 Scott Katz
 Sheri Katz
 Julie Katzman
 David Kazarian
 Yuri Keegstra
 Rita Khasho





Injured varsity football player Scott Moreth, confined to crutches, safely hobbles to his locker before students crowd the hallways. Scott was one of the many injured athletes this year.

Seniors Cia Lallas and **Eric Schulman** cheer on the Indian football team as they score another spectacular touchdown. Fan attendance gets the players' adrenaline flowing and assures a peak performance.

Four, Fine Years To Remember

It all started in 1985,
Still going strong, lucky to be alive.
Labeled the class of '89,
Everyone describes them as fine.
Four years of school seemed long and
bad,
Coming to an end makes everyone
sad,
Seniors say they have had such a
blast,
With moments and memories meant
to last.
Some students may have had a high
school sweetheart,
Only a few last, some make a new
start.
Many of them got involved in high
school sports,
While others caused trouble and
ended up in court.
On weekends they kept themselves
occupied,
To stay out of trouble, they even lied.
Football games, parties, or nothing at
all,
To just hangin' out, having a ball.
Seniors now, the year they have
waited for,
Soon they will graduate and walk out
the door.
A scary thought going to college
alone,
But after a while, they won't want to
come home.
Beyond graduation their lives may
change,
Locations will vary, feelings
rearrange.
When graduation ends, they continue
day by day,
This is it, what more can they say?
School ends on June 4, 1989,
The four years have been great,
they'll all do fine.

Stacy Lasker



Coping With Tests, Homework, And The Deadly Senioritis

Most underclassmen envision senior year as a life of fun, parties and no homework. Score one for fun and parties, but homework involves a different story. Many underclassmen don't realize that seniors have to do homework. Unfortunately, senioritis, the common slump of not doing homework, affects upperclassmen at various time of the year. Senioritis prevails as a deadly component of a senior's life. He must keep his grades up, especially if he has received acceptance to a college because the college representatives will contact

the student's counselor for grades. If the grades are not average or better, the student will receive a warning from the college; two or three warnings constitute termination of acceptance. The student then has little chance of applying to and receiving acceptance from another school. Even a junior, who wishes to remain anonymous, says she feels senioritis hitting her early in the year. So beware senior and underclassmen - senioritis may strike anyone, and the results can be fatal!

Marnie Malnekoff



Spirited seniors, Maria Moloney, Megan Goldish and Amy Cho, sell their culinary delights at a senior cabinet bake sale. Bake sales are a delicious way to raise money for school sponsored activities.

Sherine Khoshaba

Kevin Kiedaisch

Kristy Kiernicki

Christine Kim

Frank Kim

Hyun Soo Kim

Jeannie Kim

Jee-in Kim





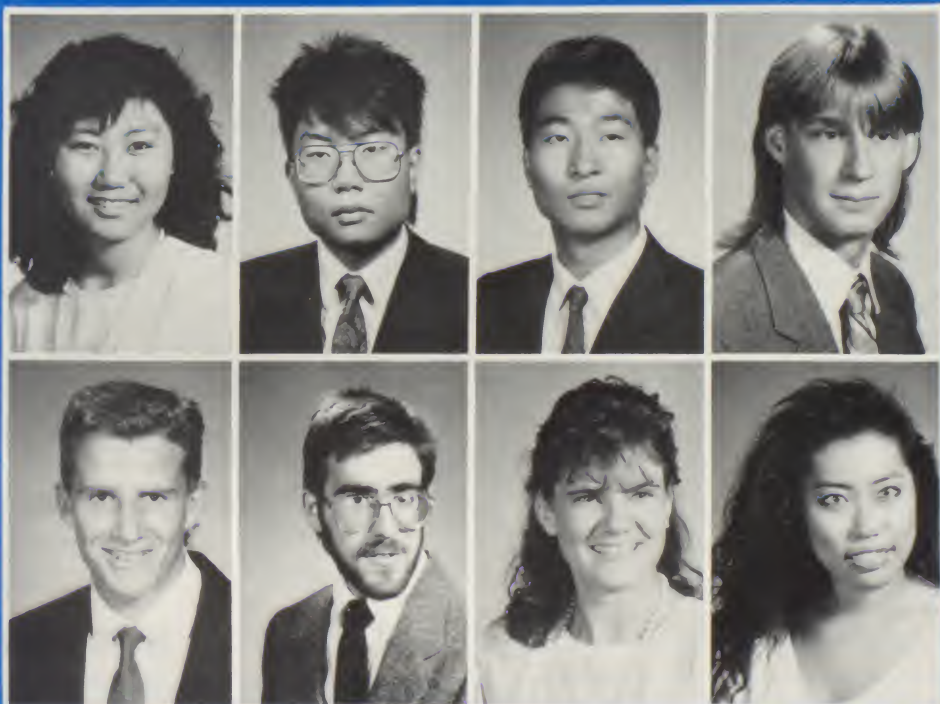
Dominating the scoreboard, the varsity football team is on the war path as they prepare to attack the opposing team.



In the cafeteria, seniors Jamie Weisman and Michell Bauer simultaneously finish lunch and complete their homework. In the midst of confusion, NiWeHi students often use the cafeteria as a place to study.



Cliff Notes, as a supplement to the book, are used widely among the student body. Senior Jason Gelber refreshes his memory on the assigned novel before the start of class.



Ji Sun Kim

Johnny Kim

Samuel Kim

Ronald Kiss

Tony Klancnik

Dean Klemen

Megan Knowles

Sally Ko

It's A Treat To Eat Out

When the cafeteria's special scrumptious dishes do not appeal to the delicate taste buds of the average Joe Shmo Niles West student, hungry teenagers spend those 40 to 60 minutes seeking other sources of culinary delights to hit the spot.

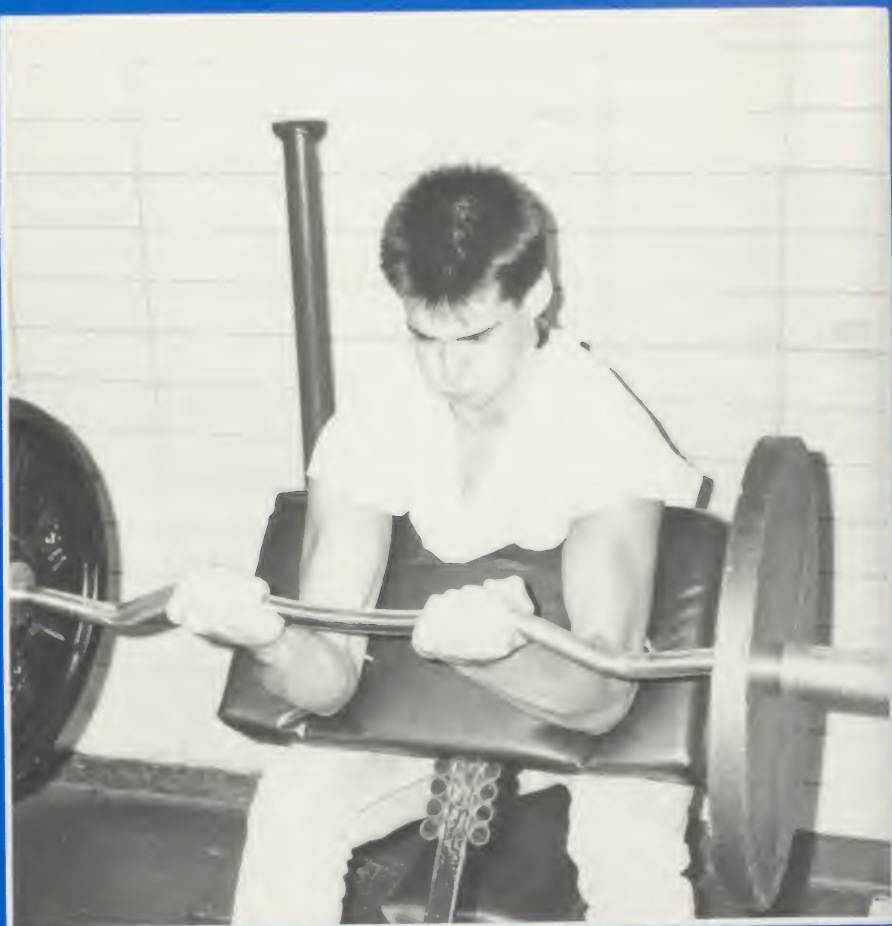
"Tom's Place for gyros because they're the greatest," commented junior Leyla Arsan. For a small sum of money a student can buy a whopping gyros with all the trimmings. As experienced consumer Laura Schrager explains, "It makes your stomach full, without emptying your wallet!"

Other students prefer fast food sources located near Niles West such as Mallo's, McDonald's, Burger King, and Wendy's. Besides draining the pocket, these franchises offer a variety of specialties to please student appetites. Junior Matt Brennan states, "I like McDonald's because they have good salads, especially the Chicken-Oriental." Others like these places for the traditional burgers-fries-coke routine.

For those calorie conscious students, La Salade and Dairy Delight have cooked up some great creations under 400 calories. Anything a health food lover or dieter might crave can be purchased at either place. Junior Chris Puljic likes La Salade because "It's something low cost, and low calorie, and it tastes good."

Students do, of course, get bored with the same food and faces at NiWeHi but Senior Mindy Grossberg summed up the real reason why high schoolers munch somewhere else. "It gives us a chance to get away even if it's just for a little while."

Marla Schrager



Pumping iron, senior Andy Lundsberg concentrates on holding the bar steady. The weight room is open after school for those individuals interested in building up their strength.



After hours of studying, senior Lori Clark breezes through her test. Pulling an all night cram session is common among many NiWeHi students.

Involved in an interesting article, senior Brad Utanoff finds a comfortable spot in the library to enjoy the newspaper. Many students catch up on the news, sports and gossip by reading newspapers and magazines in the library.





Irina Kogan
 Julie Kohl
 Margaret Kozlowski
 Tamara Kramer

Susan Kreimer
 Eric Kreitzman
 Ivy Kron
 Tammy Krueger

Peter Kucera
 Nancy Kuo
 Ali Kwon
 Cia Lallas

John Lally
 Judy Lapp
 Charles Larenas
 Stacey Lasker

Michael Latash
 Corina Law
 Patricia Lazar
 Paul Lebovitz

Agnes Lee
Amy Lee
David Lee
Edward Lee



James Lee
Elena Leibovich
Naomi Levin
Michelle Lewis



Beth Lichtenstein
David Lieb
Susan Lieberman
Jordan Light



Leader Kristi Lall tosses the ball while underclass P.E. students await for its arrival. Leaders program provides students with superior physical ability to demonstrate and teach their talents to underclassmen.



Awaiting the sound of the bell, senior Keith McMath amuses himself at the sight of an underclassman studying diligently.



After class, biology teacher Mr. Wadell gives senior Rachel Cohen some advice on the current lab assignment. Biology class allows students a chance to participate in the dissection of scientific specimens.



Andreas Limber

John Liu

Tony Liu

Kelli Lochner

Rosario Luisi

Andy Lundsberg

Stacy Lutz

Mikhail Lyubansky

Renee Makdah

Demitra Makedonski

Jason Malkin

Marnie Malnekoff

Trying To Get A Grade By Being Teacher's Pet

Besides having good attendance, doing homework, and studying for tests, another way to earn decent, or at least passing grades exists, brown-nosing. Because this technique seems to work for freshmen and seniors alike, nearly everyone uses it at one time or another.

In order to brown-nose a teacher, the student must perform special chores, little extra favors to make the teacher feel appreciated. In return, the teacher especially likes the student. Although the student may really like the teacher, these favors count for extra points to make that borderline grade lean toward the higher one instead of the lower one.

Many different techniques fall into the category of brown-nosing. Every morning, the student can greet the teacher with a bright smile and a cheery

hello, even though the student himself hasn't waken up by 7:45 a.m. In class, the student can raise his hand to answer every question without knowing half the answers. The teacher won't pick on the student since he has already answered questions, and the teacher wants to give others a chance. The student can also come to class ten minutes early everyday to wash the board, sweep the floor, and water the plants.

Anything that makes the teacher happy puts a plus toward the student's grade. If the student has missed the chance to earn good grades academically, nothing beats brown-nosing as an alternative.

Melissa Connell



Charles Man
Rob Mandell
Jane Martínez



Owen Masterton
Donald Matuszak
Ron Mauleon



Heather McCulloh
Jennifer McGeary
Jason McGuire



Keith McMath
Licarion Mendoza
Pat Merkel



Kim Miceli
Angelo Michaels
Cari Miller



Growing Times

Finally graduation! Seniors walk up those steps about to recognize what the last four years have dealt with. They recall carrying their class schedules for two whole weeks freshman year, and that locker caused some tough problems in the beginning. Learning to drive brought new adventure to sophomore year, and then deciding whether to get a job or go to college began junior year. Finally senior year brought graduation! Looking back, individuals still remember their greatest accomplishments during their four years ...

"Receiving the Presidential Physical Fitness Award after struggling for so long."

Melissa Ohlson

"Staying awake."

Eric Oseland

"Receiving the position of Co-Sports Editor of the West Word."

Stacy Hosch

"Passing Mr. Schutt's class without handing in any homework."

Peter Pfeifer

"Strengthening my decision to go to college."

Darla Wright

"Maturing beyond a self-centered personality to where I am now concerned for humanity as a whole; and respecting all for what their beliefs."

Yuri Keegstra

"Passing all my classes (except for algebra)."

Andy Wallin

"Getting on honor roll."

Jeremy Biewer

Donna Wezio



Fitness is becoming a very important aspect of life to many NiWeHi students. Senior Cari Miller works out on a machine toning the leg muscles during gym class.



David Miller

Chris Minx

Sean Mollett

Maria Moloney

Scott Moreth

David Morris

Jenni Moyer

Gordie Mraovic

Peer Counseling Cycle

The door slowly opens to a dark and musty room. A breeze of fresh air begins to circulate. Rapping begins as the students enter and join their peer groups. Led by fellow students and sponsored by David Lee, these groups give students a chance to express their feelings on various topics.

Peer Counseling groups contain eight to ten students and two leaders. The groups, depending on the people, can be either joking or serious or even a combination of both. Students discuss subjects such as music or personal

problems. They often play games. Some students snack on chips or cookies during their meetings, while others even go so far as to order pizza.

Listening skills, problem detection, conversation starters, and initial ice breakers constitute the training program which group leaders go through. Leaders then recruit students to form their own groups, and the cycle continues.

Nicole Price
Julie Kohl

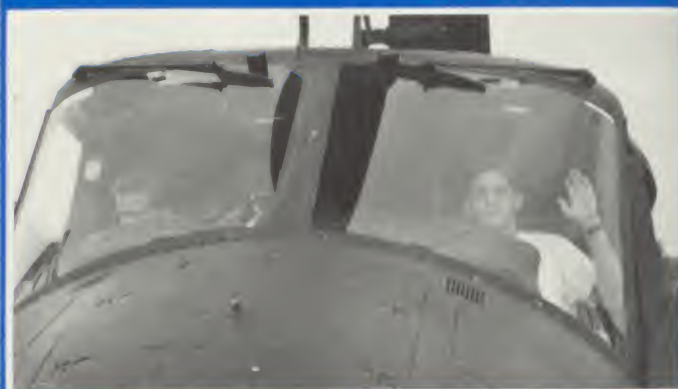
Chris Murschel



James Muth



Jim Nafpliotis



During college night, senior Mike Havdala waves from a military helicopter. The Marines arrived by helicopter to display to the students its machinery.

Parveen Najiullah



Estelle Nikolakakis



Richard Noda



Bobby North



Sofie Noussias



Matthew Nowikowski



Mindy Nudelman



Michael O'Brien



Purchasing a donut from senior Joan Colletta, senior Lenny Katz expresses his surprise at the assortment of treats available. Senior Cabinet spent the profits of their bake sales to fund their activities.



Matthew Odirakallumkal



Melissa Ohlson



Carlene Olander



Roselle Olea

Cynthia Ong

Halina Orawiec

Eric Orsic



Eric Oseland

Kevin Oztekin

Valery Panoutsos

Lynn Pappas

What Seems Slow Is Really Fast

High school starts with your
freshman year,
When upperclassman think you're
queer.
You attend your classes and pep
rallies too,
You yell "Freshmen"; they yell
"Boo!"
You make new friends, you find your
niche,
The year goes by without a hitch.
Changes occur throughout the year,
Finals time looms quite near.
The summer passes, all too fast,
You return to Niles West at last.
The PSAT and other tests
Leave you little time for rests.
You go out to lunch on free time.
Your school successes start to climb.
Another summer starts and ends,
And you are back at school again.
A junior now, your hardest year,
You have the SAT to fear.
You pass your tests, you get your
grades,
Your high school career starts to fade.
You've learned to drive, you have a
car,
Over the years, it takes you far.
Always too soon, your summer's gone.
Your final year begins to dawn,
With AP tests and college trips.
Your counselors give you lots of tips.
You start to think of the world
ahead,
No longer just a place to dread.
Senior cut day and prank day lend,
Excitement to the school year's end.
It's time for prom, a special dance,
And it will give you one last chance
To see your friends, and then its
gone,
But the memory still lives on.
At last your graduation comes
With all your relatives, Dad's and
Mum's
Standing there, they cheer for you
Then Graduation Day is through.
High School is over, gone and done,
You're left with memories of all your
fun.
After your time at Niles West,
You're prepared to handle the rest.

Marcia Tiersky

Sung Park
Nalini Parsram
Richard Pastorelli
Jim Patel
Prashant Patel
Swetal Patel

Derek Pedraza
Nancy Penn
James Peroulos
Peter Pfeifer
Eric Phillips
Marny Pierini

Robert Pine
Deedee Pitsios
Gail Pitts
Annette Polek
Jason Pollack
Marija Popovic

Clement Popovic
Rachel Posner
Debra Pozdol
Alison Presley
Nicole Price
Anthony Pusateri

Susan Quach
Tim Queen
Ansa Qureshi
Calvin Ramseyer
Maria Rasmussen
Cindy Ratnow





Enjoying every last bite, senior Kendra Davis, often orders pizza from Domino's. Many upperclassmen order or go out to eat during lunch mods.



On her way out, moving slowly but steadily, senior Lisa Vetra awaits the day her cast will be removed. Injured students are able to acquire elevator passes from the main office.

Maria Raucci
 Susan Reitman
 Julie Remke
 Miguel Remon



Fritzie Repique
 Beatrise Revelins
 Gigi Reyes
 Matthew Reznik



Jennifer Rhee
 Brian Richards
 Jemuel Ripley
 Tammy Robertson



Eden Rocklin
 Amy Roma
 June Rosales
 Jay Rosenbaum



During a hectic school day, senior Darla Wright takes time out to converse with social worker David Lee. Many students find it relaxing to discuss their problems with social workers as Mr. Lee.





During a lab session, biology teacher Mr. Strnad carefully places an organism on senior Genevieve Rio's slide. Experiments aid the students in comprehending the material presented in class.

Cafeteria Specialties

The cafeteria accommodates many a delight
Fried liver, burritos . . . uhm what a sight!
Teachers stroll and watch students eat
Meatloaf, hamburgers and mystery treat.
Standing in line, anticipating their meal
Students look at prices and exclaim,
"What a deal!"

Impatient seniors shove their way through
Making progress towards the beef stew.
Salads or fruit deliciously ripe
These visions motivate students to take a bite.
Vending machines offer sugary treats
Chips, homemade cookies and candy so sweet.
Sandwiches greet the students each day
Tuna fish, cheese, PB and J.
Along with poor boys, pastrami and ham
Rice Krispie treats, toasted bagels and jam.
After forty-five minutes of eating and fun
Lunch finally ends, the bell has now rung.

Robyn Nadick



Louis Roth

Dawn Rugendorf

Brian Russell

Colleen Ryan

Malathi Sabapathy

Michelle Sakolsky

Beata Saletnik

Hector Sanchez

Linda Sax

Lisa Schapira

Paul Schramm

Kathy Schroeder

Torture Time

When the bell rings at 2:25 on a Friday afternoon, certain students remain stuck in their classrooms for another 15 minutes. They think about what they might have done to deserve having biology the last class. Friends wave as they walk down the hall discussing their weekend plans. The temptation to run after them and yell "WAIT!! I'm coming with you!!" rushes through many minds, but knowing such actions will result in a big detention, students restrain themselves.

The second hand on the

clock slowly inches toward the twelve as ever so slowly the minutes pass. The 29th mod, often referred to as "torture time", forces students to sit through an extra 15 minutes.

Students gaze out the windows thinking about the great weekend ahead going out with friends, soaking up the sun, sleeping until twelve o'clock RING Finally, wishing for the bell to ring pays off and the thrill and excitement of the weekend pays off.

Hilary Kaden



Use a ruler next time! Seniors Sofie Noussias and Demitra Makedonski work together on the finishing touches of a home economics project. Students interested in child development, sewing, and cooking have a wide variety of classes to choose from at Niles West.



Completing the lab to perfection, senior Sharon Hwang strives to earn the highest grade possible. Understanding how to use the equipment is an important aspect of science classes.



Eric Schulman
Rose Schwager
Andrea Schwartz
Gayle Schwartz
Rory Seleman
Matthew Sergot



Sofia Shakir
Ejaz Shamim
Janet Shamoun
Scott Shapiro
Sameena Shariff
Jay Sheirok





Becka Shipp
Max Shulman
Anjum Siddiqui
Dave Signoretti
Danielle Singer



Ken Smith
Rea Song
Chris Sosnowski
Michael Spiropoulos
Leanne Statland



Kevin Steele
Tony Stegich
Laila Stein
Sandy Stergios
Nick Stratigakes



Senior Mindy Grossberg contacts Root Photographers regarding the deadline date, as senior Eric Schulman waits for her before heading home. The yearbook staff worked hard to reach all deadlines in order for the yearbook to arrive on time.

Nicole Strusiner
 Rosalie Stulman
 Jordan Subrinsky
 Jason Szewczyk



Darren Tanis
 Scott Theisen
 Linda Theotokatos
 Susan Theotokatos



Anastasia Therios
 Lisa Theurer
 Sundy Thompson
 Scott Toban
 Pascale Trouillot



Spiro Tsipianitis
 Georgia Tsoulos
 Desey Tziortzis
 Patty Tzortzis
 Cindy Uehlein



Bradley Utanoff
 Ai Utsunomiya
 Jim Valavanis
 Jennifer Valic
 Jovino Valignota





Javier Vargas

Lisa Vetra

Lisa Virchinsky

Alan Vrbos



Miki Vucic

Lauren Wagner

Li-Mei Wang

Lisa Warden



Tie-Dye Mania

Red, yellow, blue, purple, orange, green walk the halls because the tie-dye craze has struck Niles West. Tie-dye belts, folders, pants, t-shirts, and even purses abound throughout the school.

Students have varying opinions about these exotic accessories. Junior Jeff Margolin, commented, "I think the tie-dyes are for other people, but not for me, they can have them." Senior Lynn Pappas explained the change improved the atmosphere in the school. "I think

that if people wore them right the new look would be spectacular." added Rodney Pintang.

Although many students wear tie-dyed clothes and accessories, the variety of colors and patterns still allow individuality to dominate the halls. If students continue wearing these eye-catching clothes then this fad will live on. If not, this fad will live up to its name and "dye" along with the yo-yo and hula hoop.

Marla Schrager

Capturing an Indian, Danielle Chams attacks fellow senior Dean Klemenz in the cafeteria. Spirited fans resort to anything when it comes to cheering on their school.

A change of pace during her busy day, P.E. class gives cheerleader Amy Cho a chance to stretch and talk with friends while playing pickle ball. Although freshman and sophomores are grouped with their classes, juniors and seniors share the same gym class.

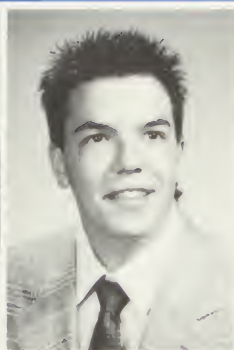


Donica Weinberg

Greg Weinberg

Jamie Weisman

Donna Wezio



Yoo Mee Whang

Dawn Williams

Terry Williams

Julie Wiltgen



Larry Wishnick

Tom Wlodarczyk

Debra Wojtalik

Chris Wright



Bidding Each Other Adieu

As the year progresses, seniors do not realize how swiftly the time passes. To them, their high school days seem endless as time drudges on. However, when the end of the year nears, students think fondly and a bit sadly upon the memories of friends and special moments. For the first time, they must face the prospect of saying good-bye to close friends who will be going their separate ways.

Saying good-bye, though necessary, often proves to be a very sorrowful experience and never easy. Regardless of

time or circumstances, good-byes are always hard to express and never fail to sound so final. But good friendships should last forever, making good-byes not permanent, but merely temporary farewells.

While seniors enjoy their remaining days at Niles West, they feel happiness at completing this chapter of their lives, and also a touch of melancholy for the friends they shall leave behind. Thus, it is with sadness that the graduating seniors bid each other adieu.

Christina Gabriel



With pen in hand, senior Kevin Steele rigorously takes notes for his college prep. class. The school provides many college preparatory classes for seniors.



Darla Wright

Maria Wright

Ryoko Yamaguchi

Paul Yaras

Kathy Yim

Hannah Yoo

Harry Yoon

Janey Yu

Michael Yu

Brett Youstra

Shanin Zarate

Leonard Zingerman



In study hall, seniors Greg Burdo and Rob Mandell work together to complete a class assignment. NiWeHi students constantly help each other out, when in need.



Giving it that extra touch, junior Rodney Pintang wipes off the splattered food from the stove. After cooking their delicious creations, students must wash and clean up after themselves.



Student union member Jana Marinakis calculates the amount of couples who have purchased their bids for the Homecoming dance. The theme of the dance was "A stroll on Boardwalk."



During class, junior Christine Rolf takes a moment to review her class notes. Note taking is a skill necessary for all high school students.

Performing a difficult stunt, junior Richard Danguilan concentrates to keep his balance. Many students find time to learn various stunts on bicycles and skateboards.



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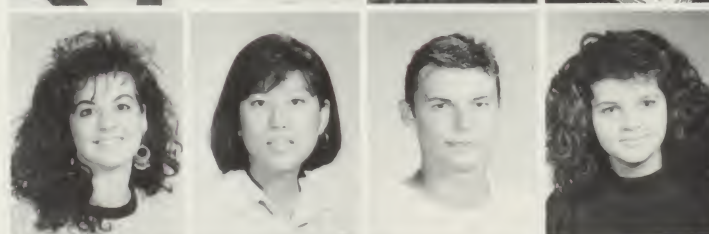
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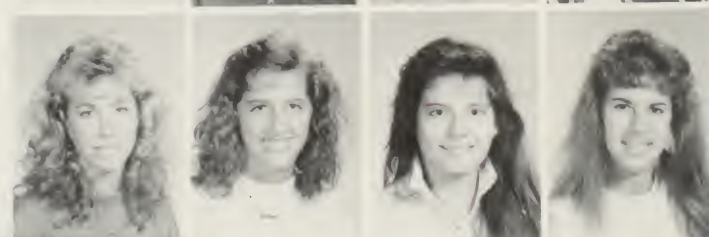
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Yvonne
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Batista
Nicole
Benjamin
Julie Berg
Stephanie
Berger



Amy Berk
Rachael
Berman
Ruth Bloom
Erica
Blustein



Athletics, Activities Abound

As soon as the bell rings and classes end, students find that no matter what their interest, clubs and sports offer an abundance of activities. Club membership gives students a chance to show their talents. From the game of chess to the game of basketball, everyone can get involved.

Positive rewards such as sharing experiences and motivating others go with membership. Whether putting on

a play or scoring the winning touchdown, as a team, students work together and achieve their goals. Recalling her experiences as a cabinet member, sophomore Terri Wawrzyniak explains, "A chance to get to work with my friends and to help plan activities, I get a feeling of accomplishment when activities are successful." In addition, active students find that participation helps them to develop a sense of commit-

ment. According to senior Andy LaLiberty, "In a club you're depended on. If you play trumpet in the band and don't show up, then the entire band is affected. The commitment prepares kids for life and the job world."

Regardless of the club or sport selected, students develop self-confidence and achieve greater self-esteem by joining an after school activity.

Donna Wezio



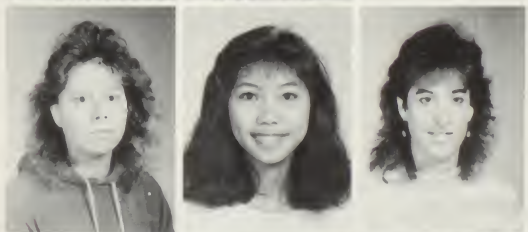
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Laura
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Jill Boysen
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Vicki Brown



Melissa
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Joe Buck
Mark
Budzik



Charlotte
Buehling
Mary Calma
Laura
Caplan



Brian
Casetta
Gloria
Catanese
Ok Kyung
Choi



Richard
Choi
Rosa Choi
Joanna
Chung



Junior Rachel Rosenberg, with use of Apple-Works, completes her research paper. The school has placed computers in various resource centers for student use.

A.P. : Added Pressure

Juniors and seniors become bundles of nerves with dark circles under their eyes and fatigue visible in their manner. The two big weeks of AP exams have arrived all too soon.

The Advanced Placement Program or AP provides motivated students with the opportunity to earn college credits or advanced placement in college for work done in high school. Students take a national examination sometime in May; resulting scores of 3 out of 5 or higher usually qualify for credit.

Students take AP courses for many reasons. These courses cover subjects in

greater depth, allowing the students to learn more. Also, students may save money and time by earning college credits.

Though many students often wonder how they will live through the two weeks in May during which AP exams occur, those who put fourth an effort and succeed in an AP class are usually well-prepared and receive a high score. When they enter college and the benefits come, their hard work finally seems to have been worthwhile.

Ansa Qureshi

Completing their assignments to satisfaction, underclassmen strive to keep their GPA from lowering. Colleges put a great emphasis on grade point averages, causing students to work hard during their first three years.



With each stroke, the varsity swimmer comes closer to the finish line and to the end of the competition. The girls' swim team in competition had an overall disappointing season with a record of 1-12.

Junior Marc Tadelman anxiously serves himself the culinary delight his group prepared. The satisfaction of eating one's own cooked meal is apparent among all students enrolled in a food's class.



Mark Chwal
Nadzija Cobalovic
Jennifer Collins
Julie Cook
Daniela Crisan



Frank Daiello
Michael Dalgetty
Agnes Danguilan
Larry Davis
Raymond Davis



Grace Diaz
Anna Dicesare
Ari Dorf
Oliver Dreger
Corey Dubin



As precious minutes of her lunch mods pass by, junior Grace Diaz anxiously awaits fellow classmate Ana Tobar to complete her assignment. Students find time in the cafeteria, classrooms, lobby or library to complete the previous days homework assignment.



Mireya
Duran
Adam Ebreo
Eric Elmer
Liliana
Engel
Leslie
Epstein

Spotting for fellow P.E. classmate, junior Jim Nikolakakis prepares to aid his classmate in case of an emergency. In the P.E. class of weight lifting the techniques of spotting and helping students are emphasized.

Nader Fakhoury
Zeba Farooqui
Jason Feehan
Brad Freeman
Ana Fumic

Rachel Garland
Adam Georges
Andreea Gociman
Carrie Gold
Debbie Gold



Trying a different approach to view the world, juniors Holly Kahn and Rachael Berman are all smiles as they carefully balance themselves. Spirited students are apt to try anything to attract attention.

Friends Of Amnesty Founded

After months of preparation, weeks of hanging up posters, and repeated announcements in the daily bulletin, the Friends of Amnesty organization finally got off the ground with a surprisingly large turnout at its first meeting.

Junior co-founders, Priscilla Moy and Jacqueline Remillard became interested in forming the club after their friends at Niles North and Lane Tech high schools had already started local chapters. "We founded our club to increase Niles West students' awareness and participation in a worthy cause that deals with helping to

free forgotten prisoners of conscience and a better understanding of "our" human rights," stated Moy.

Remillard and Moy have set three goals for this first year of Amnesty: to educate the student body about Amnesty International through the use of VCR presentations, various petitions and appeals, speakers and seminars; to assist in the release of prisoners of conscience through letters and petitions; and to establish a firm foundation for the Niles West chapter of Amnesty International.

Robyn Nadick

Kristin
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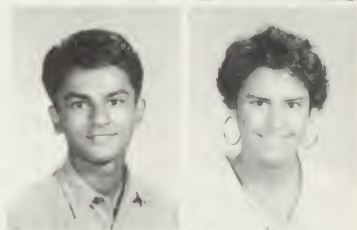
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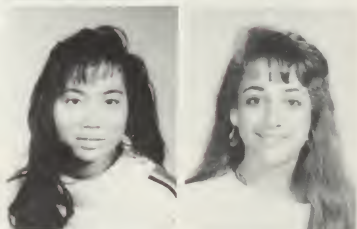
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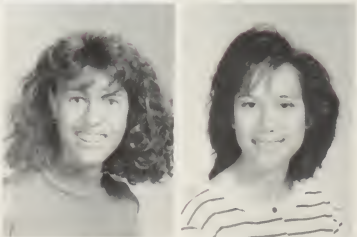
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Elizabeth
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Meredith
Holt
Tricia Hoo
Chung





Tommy Hsu
Kristin Hurt



Rita Italiano
Steve Ivicic



Elan
Jackson
Richard
Jameson



Betsy
Jordan
Joan Jovero



Holly Kahn
Karrie
Karahalios



Mike Karras
Kristina
Kasprak



Pamela
Katsules
Jackie
Katzman



Aroused by the discussion, students actively participate and propose their ideas to the teacher. Teachers find class discussions provide a more interesting way to convey the necessary information.

During a free mod or study hall, many students inhabit the library to catch up on recent developments around the world. The library's vast selection of newspapers and magazines are widely used among the student body.



Working as a volunteer, junior Joan Jovero attends to students interested in reading a magazine. Many students spend their free mods working or volunteering their services to help the school.



Ian Katznelson
Millicent Kaufman
Ami Kawanaga
Doreen Kestler
Ed Khamou
Megan Kiernicki



Duk Kim
Ee-Soo Kim
Hyung Sok Kim
Jin Kim
Sandy Kim
Yeon Soo Kim



Danny Klapman
Pauline Koffman
Boris Kogan
Barbara Kozlowski
Michelle Landicho
Alexander Lantsberg



Junior Dana Mohrlein prepares a tasty dish during food's class. The home economics department has a wide variety of classes that students may choose during their four years at West.

Spirited students celebrate homecoming by dressing for the occasion. Junior Jana Marinakis and sophomore Sandra Diganci are a great example of the red and white day held during homecoming week.



Larry Lazar
Jesse Leader
Cornelia Lee
Jennifer Lee
Joo-Yup Lee



Kevin Leeds
Alica Lejlic
Len Lev
Nancy Lim
Argyris Liolis



I-wen Liu
Grace Lo
Nina Lucki
Kathy Lukens
Simeon Macalindong



A spirited Indian fan decorates a varsity football player's locker during homecoming week. During the week, varsity football players were victims of pleasant surprises arranged by pom pon members and varsity cheerleaders.

Physical Management Introduced

Due to the number of students at NiWeHi who have weight problems, Judi Sloan, Girls' P.E. teacher, and the P.E. Department, have begun a new gym class called Physical Management. In order to have success in this special program, students must change their lifestyles through learning proper exercise and eating habits so that when they lose weight, they can keep it off forever. To do this, they must first have the motivation to want to change themselves.

The Physical Management program began in a school system in Wyoming and soon spread to every high school in that state. The high schools then began teacher workshops to introduce the program to the country. Debbie Rummel, a teacher at Antioch High School, who attended the workshop at Montana State University, introduced the Physical Management program to Illinois, and after attending Rummel's work-

shop, Sloan brought the program to Niles West.

Eighteen students have enrolled in Physical Management either because this class replaces adaptive gym or because they feel that they need to lose some weight. Alison Presley explains, "I thought the class would be good for me because I need to learn how to lose weight by eating and exercising correctly."

Sloan explains, "If a person really faces the facts of being overweight, has tried unsuccessfully to lose weight before, and is willing to put some effort into an eating and exercise plan, by all means, take Physical Management." Actually, students do not have to be overweight or on crutches to take this class; they may also take this class to learn about good nutrition and proper exercise techniques.

Millie Kaufman

Sell Sell Sell

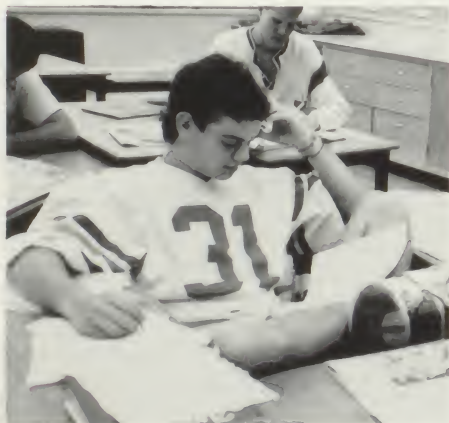
A student walks down the hall, slowly making his way to class. His mind still sleeps after the long weekend, he does not want to be bothered. Suddenly a group of giggling girls descends upon him. "Want to buy a candy bar?" they squeal. He pushes by.

"Student salespeople" have taken over the halls of Niles West. Anytime students get the munchies, someone nearby will certainly hawk some type of delicacy, from chocolate bars to suckers.

In recent years, several organizations have discovered many new things to sell. One year, silver and red Niles West locker mirrors took the school by storm, appearing on locker doors throughout the school. S.A.D.D. sold "thank you" cards which allowed students to receive discounts from several local merchants.

Although no one knows what creative thinkers will decide to sell next, students will surely continued to be bombarded with pleas of "Buy from me!"

Nicole Price



Studying diligently before an exam, junior Matt Taormina attempts to memorize his notes. Students who use their free time wisely often find they have more time to themselves for leisure activities after school.

Varsity cheerleaders Karen Noesen and Megan Goldish munch on vending machine snacks before heading to practice. Much preparation and long hours are put into their extraordinary routines.

Bryan Mahute
Jamilyn Mandl
Marc
Mar-Yohana
Sandra Matan

Daphne
Mazarakis
Jennifer
Meindle
Jeff Meunier
Ida Miarka

Gary
Mikaelian
Alan
Milbrandt
Sherri Miller
Anna Minx

Julie Mizock
Mark
Modilevsky
Dana Mohrlein
Ted Monroy





Haresh
Moradia
Karin Much
Rakesh
Mundhra



Kevin
Murphy
Robyn
Nadick
Eric
Newhouse



Jim
Nikolakakis
Karen
Noesen
Mara Okmin



Tirso
Olivares
Debbie
Owens
Oscar
Palacios



Are floral sheets the latest fashion statement? Juniors Rachel Garland and Holly Kahn display their unique creations while participating in a dress-up day.

Many organizations competed in the float contest when the parade took place on October 28. Student union members join together for this spirited event.





Catching up on homework, juniors Kim Ramirez and Barb Sosnowski enjoy a hot summer day. The front lawn seems to be a popular location for studying, or simply relaxing during freetime.

"Where can I find that book?" contemplates junior Carrie Gold. The Dewey Decimal System, taught in junior high proves helpful to many students.



Denise
Panoutsos
Saurin
Pansuria
Julia
Paphitis



Christina
Park
Michael
Park
Rohini Patel



May
Paulino
Kim Pecs
Tracy Pecs



Elizabeth
Pedersen
Pablo Perez
Rodney
Pintang



Karen
Popke
Chris Puljic
Anne
Pullano



Kim
Ramirez
Bob Rana
Beth Remke



Helen Ress
Maine Reyes
Dahlia
Reznik





Elliot
Richardson
Aron Rissman
Eric Roderich



Christine Rolf
Hope
Rosenberg
Rachel
Rosenberg



Jon Rosenthal
Geoffrey Ross
Jeremy Rubin



Steve Rudin
Yuri Rutman
Victor
Sagalovsky



Jacqueline
Schauwecker
Brad
Schoknecht
Marla Schrager



Joan Sebastian
Dina Seung
Samina
Shamim



Shazia
Siddiqui
Anna Silvio
Harjit Singh

Upperclass People Joy

Anxiously awaiting the privileges that accompany the prestige of being an upperclassmen, students struggle through their first few years of high school. As an upperclassmen, besides enjoying the luxury of sitting in a special section of the cafeteria or throwing pennies at the helpless little freshmen, they also appreciate certain other pleasures. After reading the variety of answers that juniors and seniors gave when asked about the best part of being an upperclassmen, underclassmen should realize that they don't have to study to impress their friends; rather, they have to study so they can make it to their junior and senior year, and take advantage of the following privileges.

"Walking down the halls and knowing I'm better than half of the school" Stacey Alper '90
"Being looked up to" Nasser Amer '90
"Finding no cure for my senioritis" Danielle Chams '89
"Kicking underclassmen out of our parties"

Melinda Hepner '89
"Parking in the school lot legally" Lule Jusufi '90
"Being in total command of the school"

Matt Karlesky '89
"Having better seats in the cafeteria"

Danny Klapman '90
"Driving to school" Tami Kramer '89

"Budging in the lunch line" Kristi Lall '89

"Sitting in the lower section of the bleachers during an assembly" Kathy Lukens '90

"Missing classes for college visits" Karen Noesen '90

"Getting into any party I want" Kim Pecs '90

Megan Goldish



Sophomore Lana Urso and "Goolish Gus" relive memories of the 60's. Students enjoy Halloween, for it provides fun times and a change from everyday wardrobes.

Marc Slutzky
Lisa Sobie
Kim Sokalski
Francine
Solomon



Barbara
Sosnowski
Sam Spuccia
Arthur
Stankiewicz
Kelly Stansel



Angela Stark
Russell
Stejskal
Matthew Stern
Laura Strain



Kristine
Strybel
Marc
Tadelman
Matthew
Taormina
Adam
Telengater



The Josten man arrives again to the anticipation of students awaiting to order their class ring. Jostens not only provides rings, but also caps and gowns for graduation and Spectrum year-books.

Junior Jana Marinakis displays a devilish grin as Meredith Holt looks on in astonishment. Many mysterious sights could be seen on this spooky day!



Coach Meyer and varsity players cheer on fellow teammates after scoring another touchdown. With dedication and hard work the team ended the season with an impressive record.



Karen
Tentser

Lisa
Tepper

Marcia
Tiersky

Herbert
Tittle

Ana
Tobar

Christopher
Tolsdorf

William
Tsagalis



The weight room provides interested students with a chance to build up their strength. Junior David Haddon spots senior Andy Lundsberg at an after school work-out session.



Chih-Lun Tsao
Mary Tzotzolis
Lori Utanoff



Wendy Valencia
Brian Vanmersbergen
Dyan Walters



Li-Yi Wang
Amy Warda
John Watson



Keef Weinstein
Melissa Weiss
Jessica Western



Scott Whelan
Richard Yang
Kenneth Zeff

Fit For Life

Grinding, grueling workouts fill countless hours in sweat-filled rooms, all in the pursuit of muscles. Every year both male and female students experiment with weight lifting in an attempt to develop "rock hard pecs" for various reasons. As senior Richard Dubin explained, "I lessen the chance of receiving injuries while participating in athletics."

Beginning go-getters, perform the lonely task in a basement with free weights and a cold bench. To find the equipment they lack at home, some independent lifters take their quest to health clubs which offer the advantage of working out with others to relieve some of the boredom.

Whether as a necessity for self im-

provement or to attract attention, lifters relentlessly pursue their goals. The "weight room addict" enjoys pumping iron to increase his weight. The health conscious weight lifter thinks only of becoming physically fit. "Mr. Macho" looks for new bulk to bring in "oohs and aahs," living on compliments on how good he looks, while never passing up an opportunity to flex or wear a tank top.

Although the number of students committed to weight lifting dwindles with time, those who stuck with it reap the rewards and can say, T.G.I.F. (Thank God I'm Fit.) Only a special individual keeps pumping in the pursuit of muscles.

Stacey Lasker

Rana Abbasi
Deepa Achettu
Alonso Acosta
Vicky Adam
Marale Adjemian
Arthur Alameda



Eric Alper
Preston Alper
Paul Altman
Dawn Angus
Enis Aninmis
Julie Antia



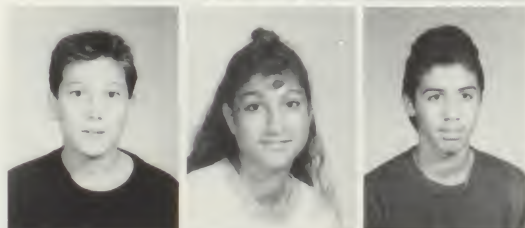
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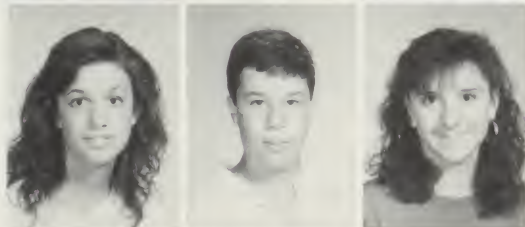
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Michelle Benedetti



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Sosi Biberian
Edgar Bonilla



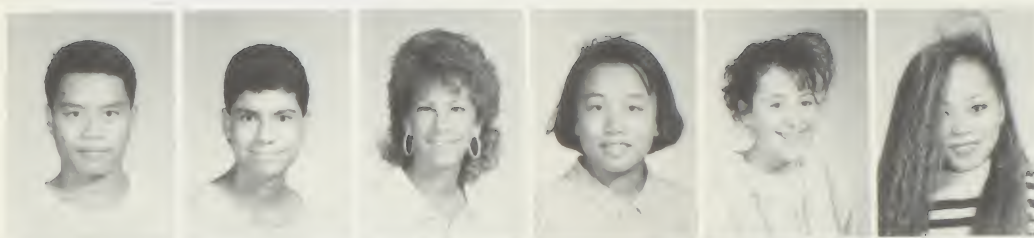
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Kathleen Brangan



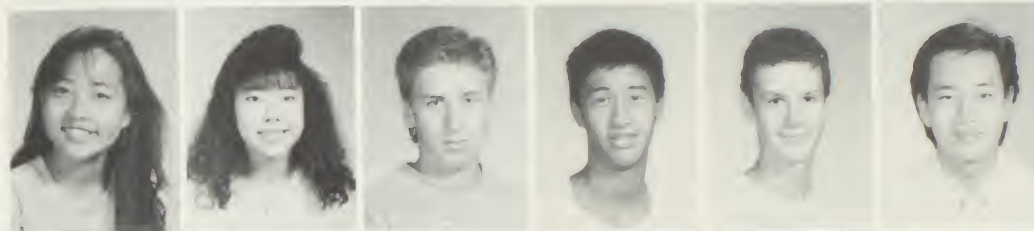
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William Busby
Holly Butera



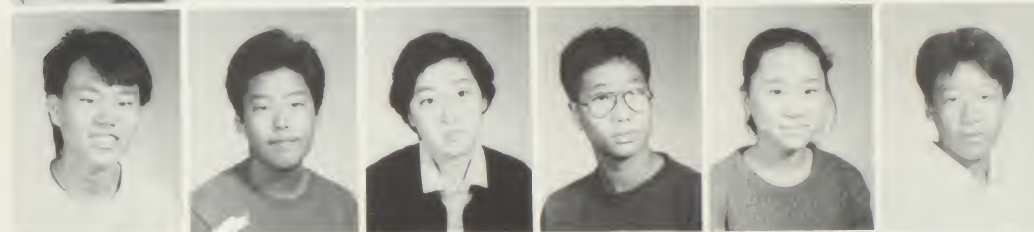
Carefully slicing her cooking creation, sophomore Melissa Vanalst anxiously awaits to taste her masterpiece. From cake decoration to preparation of foreign foods, each food's class emphasizes certain important techniques.



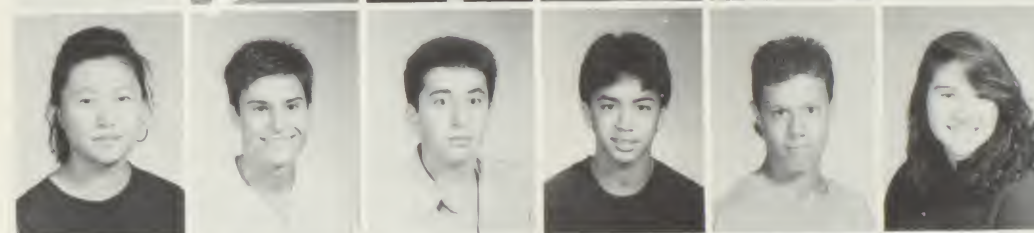
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Jeanne Casale
Melba Castillo
Tania Cemerikic
Betty Chan



Hye Won Chang
Diane Chang
Serge Cherny
Richard Chin
Ken Chmielinski
Jin Cho



Mike Cho
Richard Cho
Seung Eun Choi
Sungjin Choi
Yoo Mi Choi
Vic Chong



Suzanne Chung
Dave Cohen
Andy Coleman
Cisco Connell
Travis Corday
Gwen Costa

The Wise Ones

"Hey, Freshman!" someone yells. "I'm not a freshman!" an indignant sophomore replies. As any sophomore can tell you, the best way to insult him is to call him a freshman. After a whole year of being picked on they look forward to their new sophomore status.

Sophomores return to school in the fall with a feeling of superiority. Their freshman days now behind them, they feel entitled to some respect. However, the blow comes the first week of school when someone calls them a freshman, and they feel like a little "freshie" all over again. This does not ruin their year, of course, for they are too busy with the Mixer, dances and other parties to let this little comment destroy their egos. Still, being called a freshman is an annoyance most sophomores would like to do without. So woe to the upperclassman that calls a sophomore a freshman.

Ansa Qureshi



Theresa Danguilan
Colin Danzinger
Giljun Delasalas



Sandy Diganci
Adrian Dinu
Michael Dizon



Therese Donlon
Jordan Dorf
Ticia Doughty



"Gotcha!" exclaims a sophomore English student to Mr. Flynn as the rest of the class looks on. A variety of teaching methods are used throughout the building.

Frantically completing their homework assignments, sophomore students wished they had another mod to add the finishing touches and insure themselves a better grade. Many students, freshmen and seniors alike, often leave their assignments for the last minute.



Julie Doyle
Pam
Dressler
Dana
Drexler



Geoff Dubey
Theresa
Dulleck
Diana
Fernandez



Ed
Fernandez
Josh
Fienberg
Jason Fine



Nicole
Fortuna
Renee Frake
Ilya
Frumkin



Leanne
Furno
Nicole
Gardner
Shelly
Gelber



Admiring Sophomore Jennifer Macandrew's class ring, freshman Jennifer Agnos anxiously awaits the moment she chooses the style of her own. After graduation, high school class rings bring back memories of the days each person shared at West.

While waiting to speak to the dean, sophomore Emily Statland questions the secretary about the new academic honesty policy. The two deans enforce the school disciplinary policies.





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Ramona
Giderof



Amanda
Gilbreath
Judy Glatz
Eric Gold



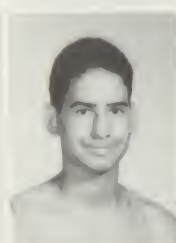
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Ben Grais
Victor
Grandinetti



Brian Greiner
Allen
Guterman
David
Guterman



Jill Hammond
John Hani
Paula Hansen



Sophomore **Therese Donlon** sautés the onions in preparation for the next step called in the recipe. Home economics courses include foods, child development, clothing, interior design and management for living.



Fire Drill — For Safety's Sake

Heads rising, pencils dropping, eyes opening, doors shutting and the sound of footsteps trudging from the building and congregating on the grounds, occur only a few times throughout the year. The sight projects a scene of confusion—friends finding friends, fire vehicles entering the lot, teachers trying to gain control until finally the bell rings, causing the unruly body of students and teachers to re-enter the building. This event witnessed by one and all, results from the fire alarm signaling all occupants to exit the building.

Astonishment, fright and panic would affect most students and faculty if a fire actually struck. Therefore the fire drills and instructions posted in each classroom offer a sense of security as well as a chance for all to prepare for the possibility. Though a benefit for some students (a chance to miss class) and a nuisance for some teachers, fire drills are a necessary precaution. According to senior April Grandinetti, "They're necessary . . . We have to be prepared for emergencies."

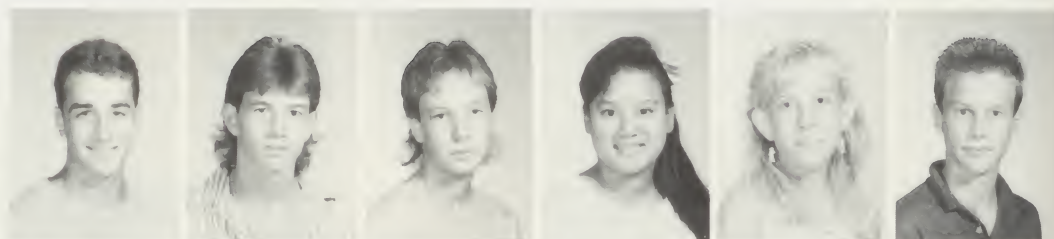
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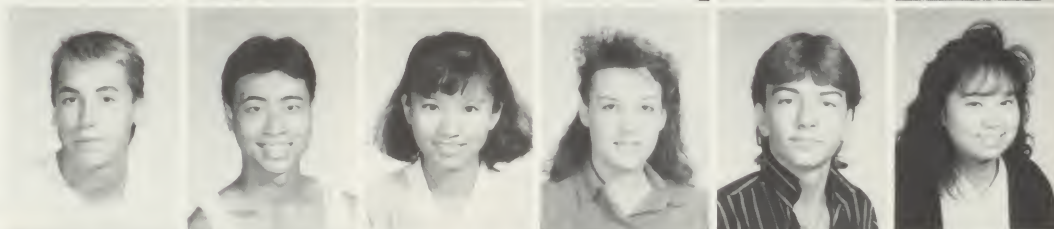
Gazing at the art display showcase, sophomore students admire the work of fellow classmates. The art department provides a wide variety of courses that students may choose from.



Chuck Harn
Matt Hautala
Ron Henderson
Cecilia Hernandez
Kelly Hogan
Sean Holton



Art Hortua
Steve Huang
Tan-Feng Huang
Karen Hughes
Peter Hussey
Sunny Hwang



Joe Iacobazzi
Booraponk Intawiwat
Tony Intawiwat
Dominic Irpino
Daniela Isfan
Stephanie Israel



Attaining aid from Ms. Bentsen, an underclassmen prepares for the upcoming exam. Teachers make themselves available to students at all times and places before, during and after school.

After a cafeteria lunch, sophomores Nancy Aufrecht and Tiffany Noe await the mod bell to sound.



In the music wing, underclassmen enjoy the piano playing of junior Jon Rosenthal. The orchestra and band hold many concerts throughout the school year for friends, parents and students.



Marc Jacobs
Grace Jahjah
Mike Janecek
Brad Janis
Jean Joffe

Liz Joseph
Julie Justesen
Michelle Kameneer
Angie Kanellakis
Debbie Kang

Sung Kang
Tom Kao
Ben Kaplan
Georgia Karras
Scott Katznelson

It's A Fib. It's A Little White Lie. No, It's A FAT Lie!

It begins as a feeling in the depths of the mind and slowly grows to a temptation. The brain plays with it a bit, testing elasticity, then waits until the perfect time has come to test it. When a situation arises in which one's ability to deceive may be flaunted, the enticement overcomes all veracity, and the result explodes in a big, **F A T** lie, which often grows into a catastrophic myth.

Who better at lying than West-goers? The "implications of" a lie failing hardly stand up to the "prospects of" a lie succeeding; who would pass up a chance to skip homework for an evening of NBC sit-com reruns, with the only restriction being to come up with a solid fib by the next morning? If the "Cosby

Show" is on, the fib may be borrowed from the Huxtable children, the typical teenagers, provided that one's teachers don't enjoy these programs, too.

With the first excuse, teachers are bound out of their compassionate hearts to pass it off as a blunder, a mere case of amnesia, or even procrastination. The student is astounded by his ability to evoke pity in his teacher, yet vows never to repeat the deception. The person deceived is the student, because he allowed moral weakness to overcome moral strength, unleashing a monster of temptation. Soon after, the **FAT** lie grows into a William Perry-sized lie, and, with all that stuffing, it becomes impossible to distinguish between "truth and turkey." Not only will the

liar's walk become more like a boat ride in stormy weather, but he'll find tripping over his nose unavoidable.

Since lying puts too much pressure on the heart, it seems foolish to risk failure of the cardiovascular system, just to watch "ALF" instead of doing geometry proofs. Commercially don't offer enough time to get work done, and since skipping a few episodes won't affect semester grades or transcripts, geometry becomes a wiser choice, if not for entertainment, at least for occasional intellectual stimulation. Besides, footprints on one's nose really aren't very attractive.

Nikoletta Antonakos

Alex Kazhinsky
Peggy Kelly
Shameem Khan
Ramsey Khasho
Dave Kim
Han Soo Kim



Michael Kim
Peter Kim
Susie Kim
Margaret Kodie
Rania Koliatsis
Tina Kolovos



Jolanta Konior
Roger Kono
Marla Kramer
Charna Kreimont
Matt Krone
Brett Kroner



Elliot Krop
Diane Kuinius
Dennis Kwong
Deborah Lamlech
Tina Larosa
Chris Larsen



Those New Locker Locations

"You only go to homeroom once a day, so why situate lockers near homerooms," reasoned Chief of Security James Puff. This rationale led to changes in the assignment of locker locations.

To many students, the new system, consisting of seniors on the first floor, juniors on the second floor, and sophomores and freshmen on the third floor caused both concern and controversy.

Senior Lynn Pappas commented, "Most of my classes are on the first floor so I don't have to travel as far; it shows seniors are dominating." However, Sophomore Colin Rothman remarked, "My homeroom is on the sec-

ond floor, and my locker is on the third floor, so it makes it kind of hard to carry my books around all morning."

Providing students with the opportunity to socialize with those of the same grade level and allowing extra room for more books motivated the change. The drop in student enrollment also gave students the opportunity to have their own lockers.

The old system of locker assignment by homeroom seems better to some and worse to others, but when any method changes, some students usually disagree with the new way.

Debbie Brodsky
Jamie Weisman

The new locker system implemented provides lockers for sophomores on the third floor. Sophomores Elliott Malkin and Art Hortua occupy themselves until the mod bell rings for homeroom.





Sai-Man Law
Lisa Leander
Elissa Leboy
Laura Ledwon



Betty Lee
Monica Lee
Seung Lee
Susie Lee



Brian Lewin
Jeremy Lieb
Danny Lieber
Rachel Light



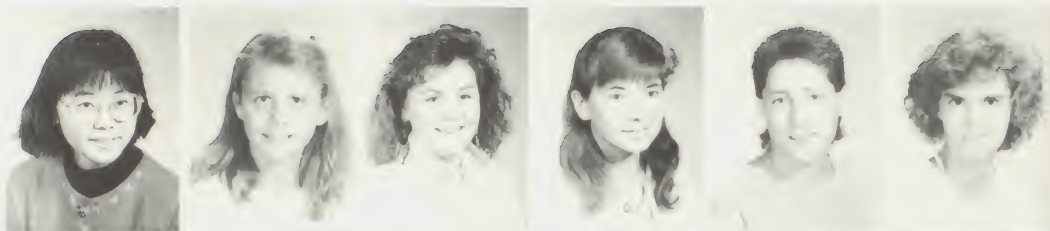
Shaw Lin
Mary Liu
John Lo
Kim Loewenthal

During class, fellow classmate Eugene Zeldin comes to the rescue of sophomore Ed Fernandez. The school provides a variety of computer courses for students to select.

Making use of the pay telephone, sophomore Dana Opalinski contacts a friend during her lunch mods. The telephones are used widely among the student body to contact friends or family members.



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Christine Lukens
Jenny Macandrews
Ursula Macejak
Elliott Malkin
Jenny Mart



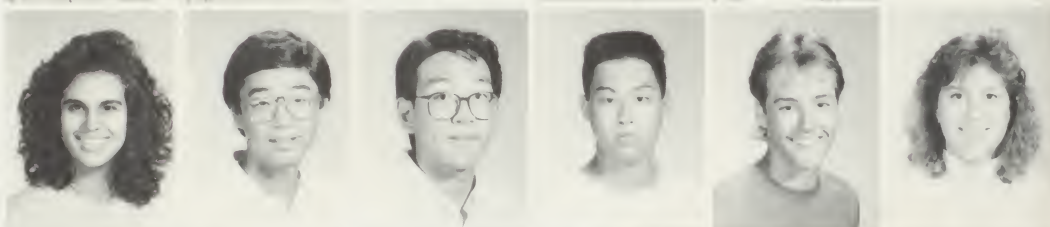
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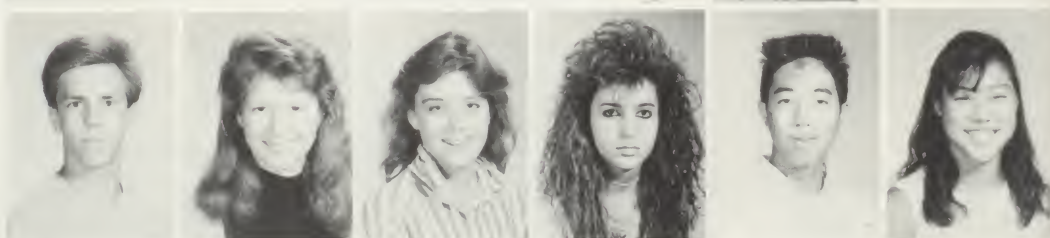
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Desi Mulingbayan
Amanda Nadolski



Matula Nafpliotis
David Nakai
Sang Nam
George Namba
Brad Niedermaier
Tiffany Noe



Matthew Novoselsky
Veronica Nulman
Dana Opalinski
Vivian Orah
Brian Ozaki
Sue Park



The return of Jostens in September is another signal to students that another school year has begun. Josten Company representatives await for eager, enthusiastic buyers.





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Parker
Maybelline
Pasia
Vijay Patel
Jane Patyk



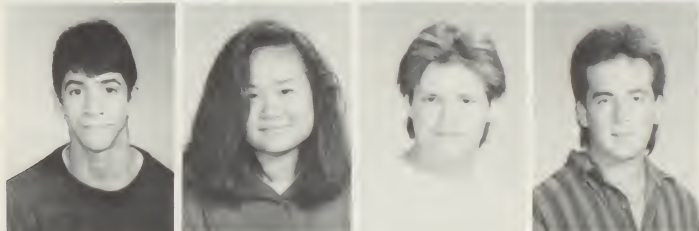
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Stacy
Pilouris
Kristina
Platz
Julie
Pollack



Michele
Pomerantz
James Ponto
Anastasia
Poulos
Danny
Rakovic



Vicky
Ramirez
Ahson Rana
Vicki
Rappin
Beth
Remillard



Magdiel
Remon
Lesley Rhee
Robert
Roberts
Steven
Roelle
Julie Kohl



Choosing from an assortment of styles, sophomores select a gem stone for their ring. Among the highlights of sophomore year is the chance to design and purchase a class ring.

Sophomore cheerleaders Sandy Delgado and Tina Larosa are a welcome sight to parents present at Open House. Cheerleaders were present to assist parents throughout the night.



The Ring Man Cometh

An unknown visitor walks down the hall with a briefcase and posters in hand. Everyone watches and wonders as the walls fill with colorful signs. Sophomore's eyes light up with excitement upon the arrival of the Josten's jewelry man.

The Josten's jewelry man presents his product to interested and confused sophomores. Choosing just the right style, size, and inscriptions proves to be difficult decisions. However, the wide range of ideas in brochures

given to the students make the choice a lot easier. Students may select decorations such as horoscopes, sports, and clubs for their rings. In addition, names can be inscribed on the outside or inside of their rings. Class rings may cost a lot but they provide a great way of remembering the school. Perhaps in thirty years, while looking at a school ring, students will recall their fantastic high school years once again.

Julie Kohl

The Joys Of Sophomore Cabinet

Planning activities for fun and raising money for prom took top priority with sophomore cabinet members. Throughout the year they sponsored many activities including the frosh-soph mixer, nominations for Homecoming King and Queen, and sock-hop with a cop. At the beginning of each month these sophomores receive a calendar so they re-

main informed.

"Because all members have given up a great deal of time, we've been very successful," stated president Elliott Malkin. Everybody wanted active membership, and their sponsor Mr. Puff had provided necessary encouragement, by sacrificing precious time to help get things together.

Hard working sophomores

enjoyed their fun filled pursuit, and received the gratifying recognition they deserved, by the commendatory remarks of other students and teachers. Although cabinet members came across a few problems, like thinking of ideas for dances, they always found a way to solve them.

Huma Qureshi

Showing school spirit during Homecoming week, sophomores Vicky Ramirez and Karen Miller, with painted faces, wait for the school bus. Among the events of Homecoming Week were dress-up days and class contests during lunch mods.



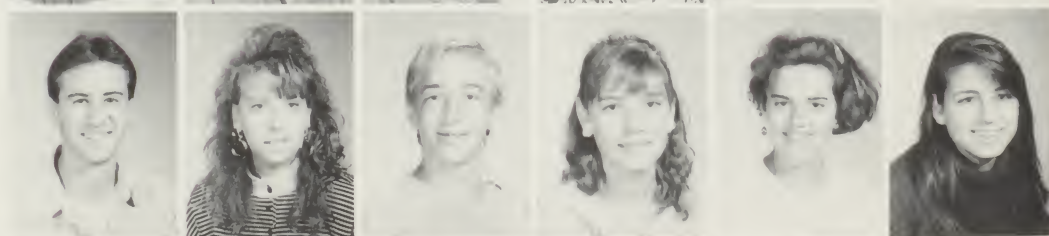
Sophomores listen intently to the new ideas being proposed during a cabinet meeting. One of the major activities the cabinet plans during the year is the Frosh-Soph Mixer.



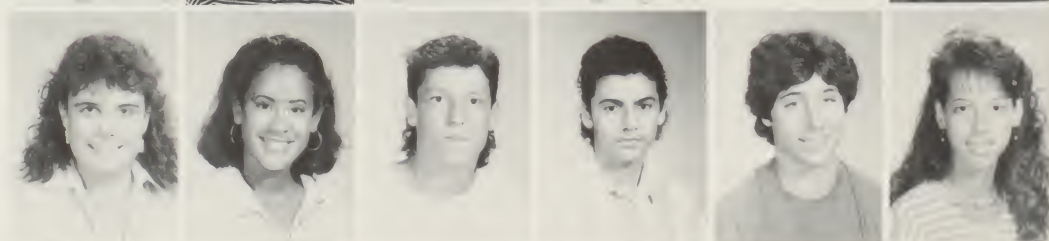
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Rob Schaefer
Heidi Schneider
Michelle Schoknecht
Laura Schrager



Kaye Seeber
Noelia Serrano
Travis Shaffer
Amjad Shehade
Josh Siegel
Maria Silvio



During a meeting, sophomore president Elliott Malkin and vice president Shelly Gelber confer with sponsor Mr. Puff. The cabinet focused on raising money for their junior year, when they plan prom.



Christina Sim
Jenny Simon
Vanessa Smetkowski
Sascha Sohn
Brian Sokolowski



Jon Speake
Emily Statland
Michelle Stiegel
Ross Stoeterau
Denis Stolyarov



Max Stolyarov
Jennifer Struck
Michelle Strykowski
Pranay Surati
Fernando Suzara

Sayaka Suzuki
Thomas Sybert
Gregory Szewczyk
Carson Tamllo
Sommor Tipsombudboon



Jerusha Torres
Faith Tulen
Michelle Turos
Adam Turry
Madlen Ukleba



Ghazala Usman
Tamara Valfer
Ken Vanmersbergen
Mike Vardon
Olga Vydra



Among fellow sophomores, Robin Yu enthusiastically cheers on the football team. Student turn-out at football games increased considerably during the season.



Getting Behind The Wheel

Although freshmen don't look forward to the harder classes and additional homework of sophomore year, they do like one important benefit of the second year of high school. During sophomore year, almost all students turn fifteen, becoming eligible to take driver's education. In turn, they can get a driver's license, which seems to be the key to a whole new life for former freshmen.

Sophomores cherish their driver's license because so many benefits accompany them. Generally, driving means freedom from both students and parents. Happy parents no longer have to act as taxi driver's, and happy students rejoice that parents no longer know every single detail of a night's plans. Driving means the ability to

run to the store alone when an incredible munchies attack hits. Most importantly, driving introduces students to a new social life, and the whole world seems much more accessible with many interesting, yet far away places now within reach. The embarrassment of always getting dropped off everywhere just disappears. Driving proves that the student has definitely left freshman year behind, and has become just plain "cool".

In some ways more important than a charge card, the plastic driver's license offers chances for many new experiences, all possible because of Driver's Education which most students consider the most desirable course in sophomore year.

Melissa Connell



Bake sales continue to be a major fundraiser for many organizations. Sophomore Michelle Benedetti attends to prospective buyer Carmen Navarro during a Spanish club bake sale.



Theresa Wawrzyniak
Mindy Weberman
Brian Weinberg
Lonne Weinberg
Collette Wieclaw
Thomas Wierzchon



Lisa Williams
John Williamson
Carolyn Wiltgen
Edward Wojciechowski
Hyun Woo
Kang Yook



Julie Yoon
Robin Yu
Elena Zarifopoulos
Carolyn Zazra
Eugene Zeldin
Michael Zurita



Completing the stunt to perfection, an underclassman shows his remarkable ability. Many students pursue hobbies during their leisure time.

Sophomore Melba Castillo makes an urgent phone call home as her fellow classmate patiently waits for her. Phones in the school are not only used for emergencies, but also for a leisure conversation with friends.





When all else fails, freshman Ramy Antar decides he'd rather do his work on the floor than in the crowded lobby or cafeteria. It must be the abundance of space that inspired him to choose this spot.



Recovering from the shock, freshman Spanish student Andrew Kundev tries desperately to remember the definition of a word on his quiz. Though students study hard, the excitement of an exam causes them to do poorly.

Barbara Abragan
Thomas Abraham
Lisa Abrams
Ingrid Abrudeanu



John Adamidis
Michelle Adaya
Alexis Adler
Jennifer Agnos



Mary Aladjadjian
Tricia Alday
Noah Ament
Kerri Amodeo



Elizabeth Angelov
Ramy Antar
Karitana Arauco
Bertan Arsan



Andrew Axelrod
Doug Baba
Leslie Bach
Allen Bak



Kurt Baran
Erik Bauer
Nina Bavaro
Denise Beegun



Joseph Bellina
Alexander Bendersky
Allison Berger
Darlene Berkovitz





Freshmen Social Circle

Although years have passed since seniors arrived as freshmen, they still have memories of meeting interesting people in those first few days. Students quickly discover the great places high school has to offer where they can meet a variety of new friends. Freshmen can get to know people just like themselves at clubs, dances and after-school sports. As years pass, students find additional activities that tempt them to join.

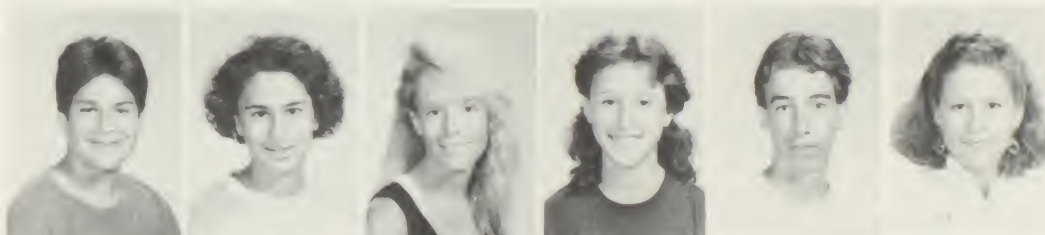
In September, students make friends with people from various schools. Soon they walk down the long hallways of West with friends, hand-in-hand, in groups or alone. When hallways close from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., friends may gather in the cafeteria or the Oakton Lobby to gossip about things that happened that day or during the day.

After-school, students meet at games or crowd into the cafeteria to talk about people they met that day. Some stay after school until the least possible moment to just find out about the latest gossip.

Both upperclassmen and underclassmen agree that high school provides both places and opportunities to meet those new and interesting people who just may become their best friends.

Donna Peterson

A compromising position. Being the youngest classmen, freshmen get picked on a lot. Perseverance will pay off, though, and by the time they are seniors, the woes of freshman year will have been forgotten.



Brian Berkowitz
Julie Bezanec
Christine Biljetina
Rachel Borak
Kristopher Bosshart
Brenda Boyles



Frith Breitzer
Brian Brunger
Dawn Buczak
Paul Buisseret
Tony Caceres
Erika Callisen



Davide Camporese
Kristin Carlsen
Ricardo Casas
David Casetta
Maria Castro
Tina Cavar



Chung Cha
Houtan Chaboki
Tarah Chahal
Hyon Chang
George Chen
Alan Chin

From The Top To The Bottom

After only a week, I already notice that the power I had last year has quickly diminished; I no longer, hold the position of "king of the school." Today I walk the long, dark corridors alone, as a freshman.

I can clearly remember last year when my friends and I strolled down the hallways. All of the sixth and seventh graders would part from the middle of the hall and, with a dreamy gaze in their young eyes, wish that they could be eighth graders. I remember the good times we had when we picked on the seventh graders, chasing them down the halls. One time, a couple of the smarter seventh graders, ran into one of the ladies' washroom; that gave us a lot a laughs for days to come.

But now the tables are turned. All the seniors and juniors want to tease and pick on us, even tossing pennies at us. Yesterday as my friends and I quietly walked down the hall, a couple of juniors started poking fun at us, calling us "freshies," "little freshies!" This affected us in such a degrading manner that now I realize all the pain we had inflicted on the poor little seventh graders.

I hope this silly, ridiculous nonsense stops soon and that I grow up quickly so I can be a senior. Then I will fulfill my desire to make fun of the new freshmen.

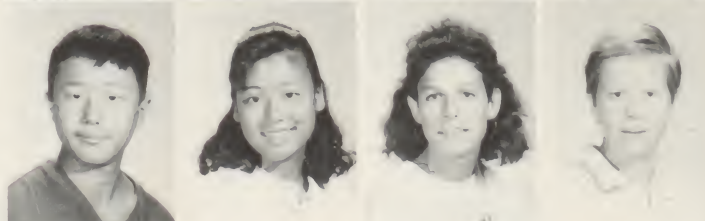


There is no substitute for concentration, and freshman Stanley Matz blocks out all the noise around him to study for his exam. Though sometimes a bore, study halls allow students a quiet area for doing work.

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Yoon Choi

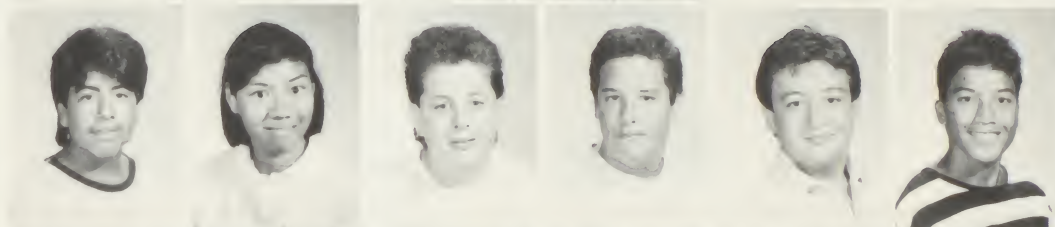


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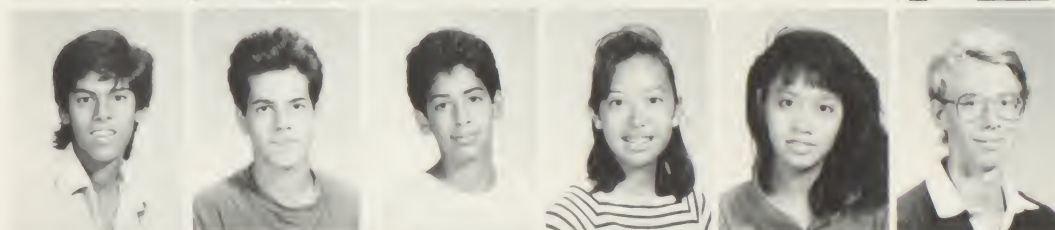




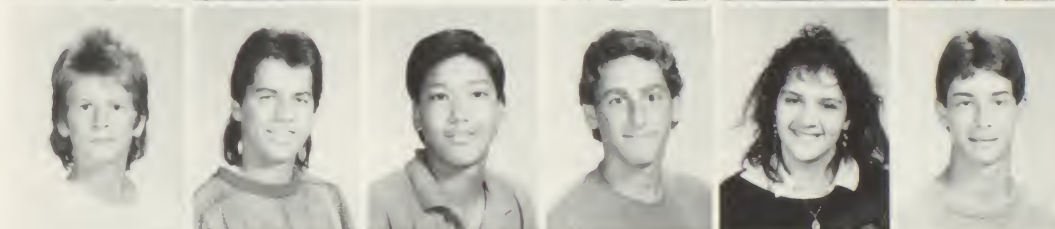
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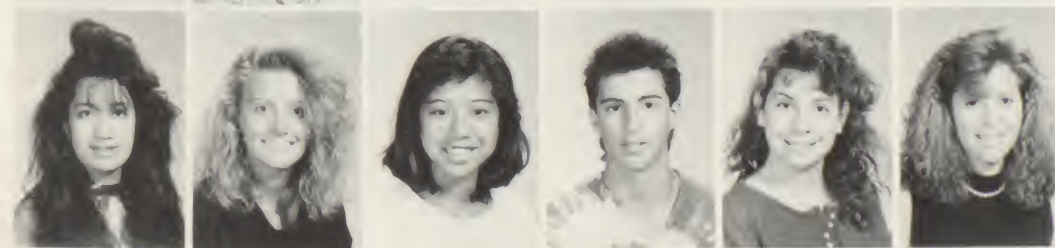
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Georgia Dounis
Sean Drazner



Nicole Dubin
Gilberto Duran
Michael Duttge
Melissa Edwards
Alaina Elmer
Tony Epperson



Jeffrey Epstein
Kera Evans
Matthew Falco
Ellen Farber
Christine Faulkner
Amanda Feldman



Elena Fen
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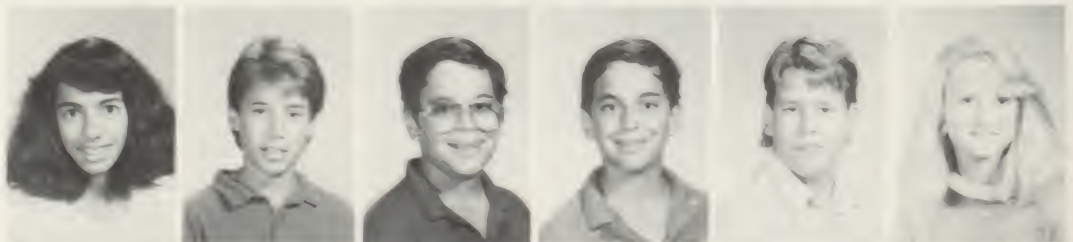


Anthony George
Alex Gershbeyn
Nahrin Gifargis
Jessica Glick



With just one thing on their minds - getting out of trouble, these students all sit glumly, thinking of excuses to tell their deans. It is not surprising to see many students waiting in the deans' office, since a large percent are mistakenly put on lockout each day.

Anjali Godbole
Adam Gold
Barry Goldberg
Mitchell Goldberg
Ryan Gonzalez
Lisa Goodman



Jose Gormaz
Shashi Gowda
Jonathan Goyhshor
Elise Grandinetti
Abigail Greene
Daniel Grois



Aaron Grossfeld
Aryn Grossman
Liam Gubbins
Gary Gutierrez
Juhi Ha
Michael Haberkorn



New Academic Honesty Policy Implemented

Taking his biology final, Joe Shmoe suddenly draws a blank on problem number 15, so he sneaks a peek at Tim Brain's paper. If the teacher notices, he does not comment. Joe gets away with cheating and may continue to cheat throughout his life.

Situations like the one described have become a thing of the past, because a joint committee, composed of students, parents, teachers, and administrators from both North and West have established a new Academic Honesty Policy. Explaining in much greater detail than the previous policy exactly what does and does not constitute

cheating, the policy lists seven examples of the ways to plagiarize, along with fourteen other violations.

Academic Honesty Committee members from West that worked on the policy include graduate Meena Ravella, senior Leanne Statland, science teacher Dottie Fuigel, Spanish teacher Ed Murphy, parents Judy Elmer and Joan Gutterman, principal Donald Ring, and the committee chairman, John Lorez, director of administration at North.

Classroom policies have already changed, as many teachers have rewritten tests to ensure that students can not obtain tests from older friends. Addi-

tionally, the committee has created a special form for reporting infractions of the policy.

Optimism shows in the attitude of all involved. "It gives students who want to be honest a peg to hang that desire on and something to point to. I feel it will be very effective," notes Gutterman. A new era of honesty draws near. The strict enforcement of this policy should guarantee that students will be forced to study harder instead of taking an easy ride. Learning, after all, exemplifies the purpose of the school system.

Marcia Tiersky



Anna Hachmeister
Seh Han
Amanda Harris
Christina Heller
Sherry Henry
Peter Hepner

Matthew Hibner
Scott Hochstadt
Maya Hoffman
Susan Hrajnoha
John Hsing
Tan-Hua Huang

Katharina Hugart
John Humphrey
Sung Hwang
Heather Ichishita
Michele Jaanimagi
Melissa Jacobs

Kimberly Jenson
Jim Joseph
Laura Jun
John Jung
Linda Jung
Nairuth Kachenchai

New Faces, New Teachers, New Friends

Because of the retirement of eight teachers, NiWeHi has hired nine new staff members, who came to West because of the school's good academic reputation. While new to the system, they still maintain a full academic program of five classes. Although most of the teachers do not have homerooms, they sponsor many extracurricular activities.

The Foreign Language Department added three Spanish teachers to their staff. Mr. Johnson, one of the new Spanish teachers co-sponsors the Spanish Club. He received his B.A. in Spanish Education from North Park College in Chicago, and studied also in Sevilla, Spain. "I am privileged to have some very impressive, responsible, and motivated kids as students in my classes," he said, and added that he was looking forward to a good year. Another new Spanish teacher, Mr. Fontana graduated from Washington University, and now he co-sponsors the Spanish Club, AFS, and Americans Abroad. In his opinion, the school faculty, and stu-

dents all receive high marks. The third Spanish teacher, Mr. Beaver, who obtained his Bachelors Degree from Wayne State University of Detroit and his Masters Degree from the University of Illinois, enjoys working at Niles West and co-sponsoring the Spanish Club.

NiWeHi also hired three science teachers. Mr. Steve Feorch, whose five years experience at Rich South Township High School prepared him for his new position at West, graduated from the University of Kansas. He commented, "I like the students I have. They are the best." In addition to teaching, he coaches the boys' gymnastic team. Mr. David Genis, a science teacher and freshmen basketball coach, received his degree from the University of Massachusetts. Having previously taught at Kankakee Junior High School, Mr. Genis found delight in the friendliness of everyone he encountered at West. One of the new female teachers, Ms. Long also teaches science. She received degrees from Duke and Northwestern Universities, and is currently enrolled

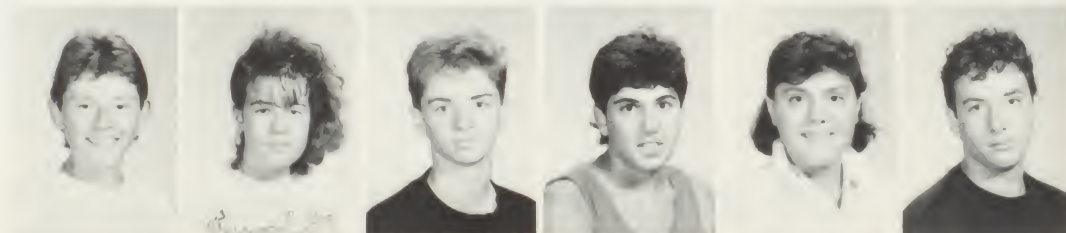
in courses toward receiving a Master of Science Degree in Education.

Mr. John Sullivan, a social studies teacher who previously worked at both Glenbrook North and South, got his Master of Science Degree at the University of Illinois at Chicago, having already received his Bachelors Degree at the Urbana campus. Ms. Marie Helgeson, a Special Education teacher, is an alumnus of Niles West and the University of Wisconsin, and pursued her Masters Degree at Northeastern. She coaches the girls' gymnastics team and hopes to start a bicycling club. In business education, Mr. Gary Hutchinson, who taught at Maine West, received his Bachelors and Masters Degrees from Illinois State and Northern Illinois Universities, respectively.

All these teachers enjoy working at West and describe their students as very enthusiastic and cooperative. With their degrees and experience, they surely will enrich our academic staff.

Deborah Kang

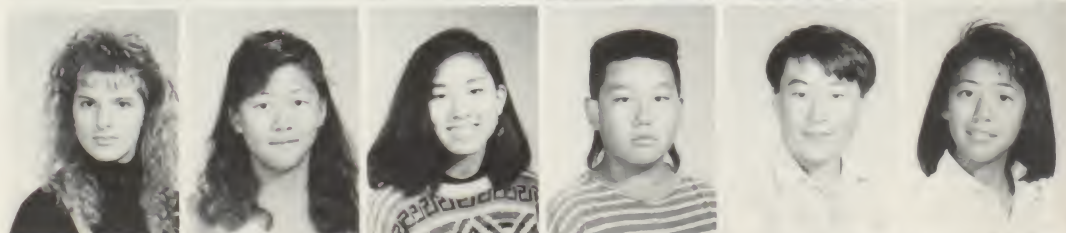
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Mark Katz
Michael Keane
William Kessel



Magdalena Kiela
Benita Kim
Caroline Kim
David Kim
Hyung Kim
Zinnia Kim



Anna Knobel
Kathy Knobel
Dimitris Kontsiotis
Elif Korkmaz
Paul Kotowski
Katherine Kouris





Miroslav Krivens
Kristine Kucera
Daniel Kudirka
Arun Kumar
Andrew Kundev
Kimberly Kupski



Devin Lacko
Vivien Lamadrid
Allison Lane
Bill Laskaridis
Jeremy Leboy
Cindy Lee



Hyun Lee
So-Young Lee
Chad Lehman
Jennifer Leon
Vera Levin
Teresa Lewandowski



Philip Lewis
Joo Lim
Jacqueline Lindblad
Maggie Liosatos
Heather Littwin
Tai-Fen Liu



James Lo
Heidi Lochner
Daniel Luby
Jessica Lundsberg
Rachel Lundstrom
Grace Maghopoy



Not only students enjoy the setting of the cafeteria, but teachers do, too. Freshman Erik Bauer and Spanish teacher Mr. Fontana talk about matters other than class or homework, and learn interesting things about each other.

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Amy Majmundar
Michelle Mallorca
Marisa Mangul
Jodie Margalski
Lisa Marshfield



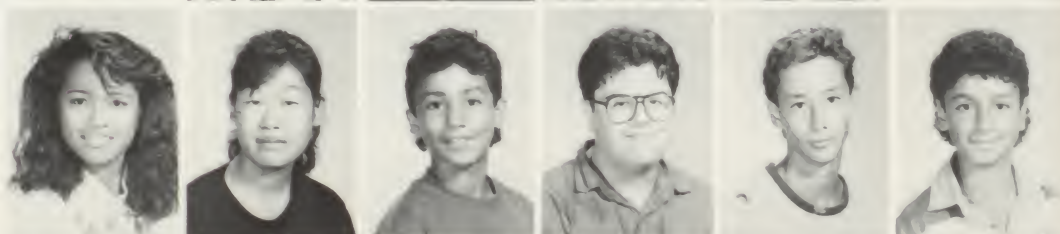
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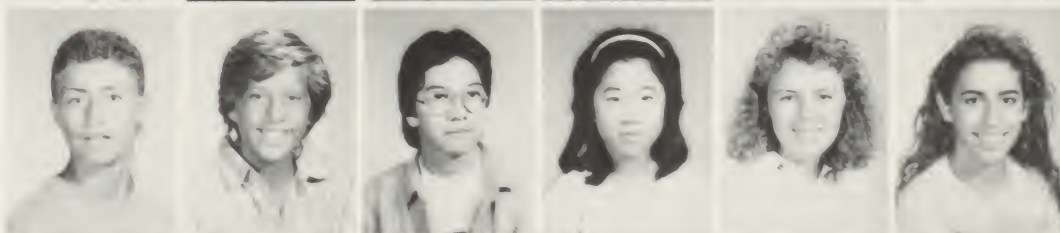
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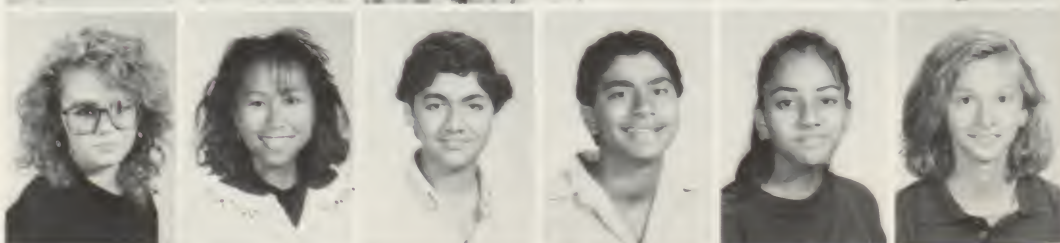
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Steve Novakovsky
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Julie Ong
Britt Painter
Olga Papaioannou



Tanya Parchuta
Stephanie Pasignajen
Ajay Patel
Jayesh Patel
Sheetal Patel
Stavroula Patrian





There are so many to choose from! Freshman Houtan Chaboki searches for a novel to read during his free time. The amount of books they find in the library surprise many freshmen when they see it for the first time.

To Study Or Not To Study?

What does a bored student do while sitting in study hall? Many students study, the obvious choice, to minimize their homework load. Others use the time to catch up on sleep lost from staying up too late to study the night before.

If a student decides he wants to leave the study hall room, he finds many options from which to choose. The spacious, air-conditioned library supplied with books, magazines, and newspapers, provides a great place for students to get away from the crowded, hot study hall. In resource centers, students can get help from teachers or make up tests they have missed. The cafeteria provides a great escape for the rebellious students. After signing out to the washroom or locker, the student sneaks out to the cafeteria, says hi to a friend or two, and then slyly returns to his study hall within the five minute time limit.

Of course, the few students who enjoy detention don't bother to go to study hall at all, preferring to sit in the cafeteria or even go out for lunch. They may enjoy themselves at that moment, but sitting in the hour long detention later, they probably regret their choice.

With all these alternatives, students may use study hall time to catch up on work or just use it to have fun for the day.

Hilary Kaden

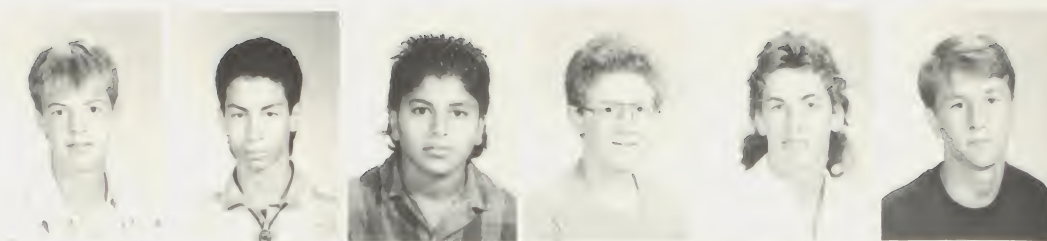


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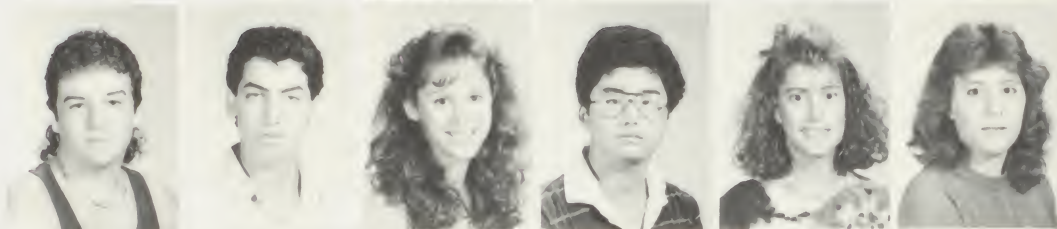
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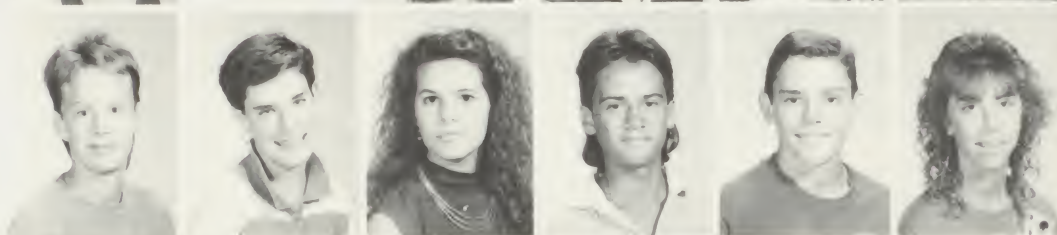
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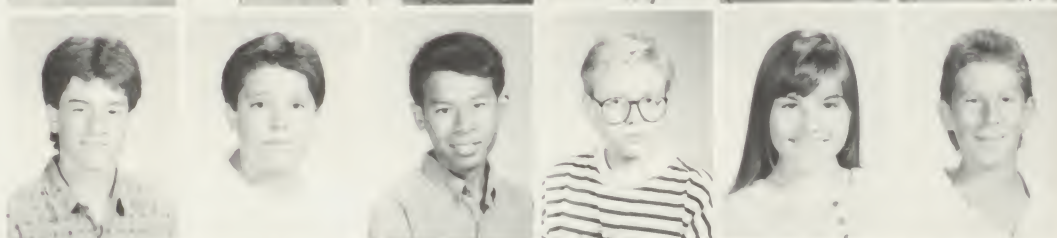
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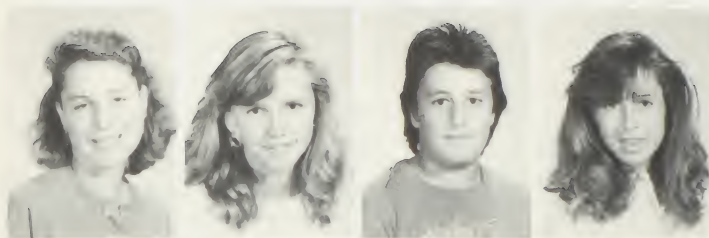
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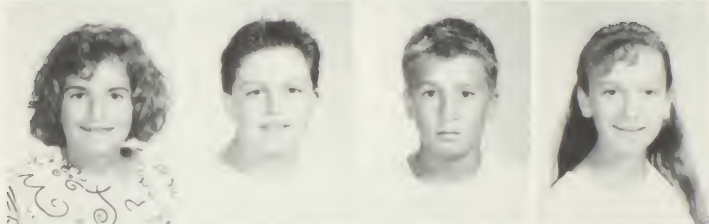
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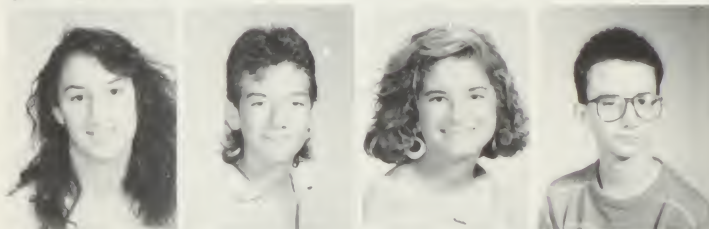
Trying to improve their grade point average, a freshman class studies frantically for a pop quiz. Students of all levels are often faced with this dramatic experience, when teachers surprise them.



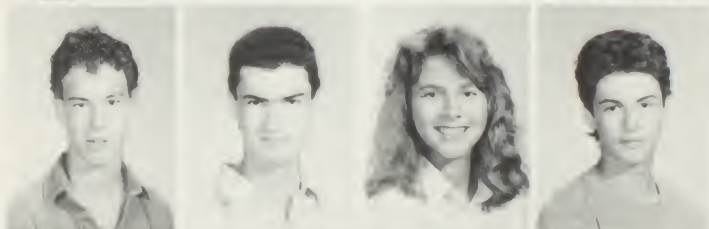
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Natalie Silverman
Edward Smith



Mikel Smith
Julian Solomensky
Laura Sosnowski
Tom Sotirakos



Carrie Spear
Nick Spiratos
Jennifer Spreitzer
Heidi Stadler



It's tough, but writing essays in class makes Melissa Jacob's mind more imaginative. Freshman year is a time for getting set in new thoughts, writing habits, and comfortable writing positions!

First Day Blues

As the middle of August rolled around, the thought of returning to school entered the minds of many students. The freshmen looked forward to a new beginning in a different school and an opportunity to meet new people. The sophomores were relieved to know that the term "Frosh" no longer applied to them. The juniors finally received the title upperclassmen, while the seniors reflected on thoughts of

their final year at Niles West.

On August 22 and 23 a special orientation provided freshmen with a firsthand look at the school and its curriculum. The rest of the school realized that the school year was to begin when they received their new schedules and notices to pick up their books.

When students arrived at school on the first day, the talk was of tans, summer vacations and parties. Some stu-

dents had difficulty finding their classes. Some freshmen even missed the first 10 minutes of homeroom while purchasing their very own elevator pass. By the end of the first day students knew that the school year had really begun when their teachers ended their classes by saying, "The homework for tonight . . ." You know the rest.

Beth Remke

Innocence And Experience

New freshman arrive each year with preconceived ideas of how their next four years of school will affect their lives. Four years later, as seniors, they begin to realize their foolish freshman worries were worthless.

Common beliefs of freshmen

Senioritis - a horrible disease that affects seniors

Riding in the back of the bus-the coolest way to get to school

The cafe- a great place to meet other freshmen

Complete homework before all the good T.V. shows start

Curfew- the time to go home

A Saturday detention could ruin chances of going to college

Studying for finals should begin a month beforehand

A "modified" excused means a doctors appointment

Seniors they they rule the school

Common knowledge as seniors

Too late, I've already caught it

Even moms stationwagon looks better than the bus

Touhy's Macs- where the action takes place

What's homework?

Curfew- the time to go out

Four more hours never hurt anyone

Studying

A "modified" excused means starting the weekend trip to Madison early

How right we were!

Brian Hansen



Graphic artwork and photography attracts even freshman Melissa Edwards to read the college posters on the walls of the guidance hallway. The decision of which college to go to is tough, and it occupies the minds of students in all class levels.

Robert Stankiewicz
Ryan Starr
Anastasia Stathis
Joseph Steinfeld
Renee Stephenson
Tatjana Stojnic



Brian Stone
Ana Suboni
Flamura Sulejmani
Lydia Sulejmani
Sean Szlak
John Thomas



Kari Tipton
Larry Toban
Grace Tsau
Robert Tuhscherer
Aileen Tulen
Dannai Turos





Litsa Tzotzolis
Daniel Udoni
Steve Venn
Demetra Virvilos
Michael Vives



Christina Vlahakis
Miriam Volchenboun
Bryan Wasserman
Matthew Weinstock
Michelle Weiss



VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! The video screen makes the message clear to freshmen Myles McGuire and Matthew Silverberg as they pass through the cafeteria. Freshmen came out in large numbers to vote for their class president.



Brad Wildi
Alan Wiseman
Stephanie Wishnick
Michael Witte
William Wlodarczyk
Sun Jung Won



Noriko Yamaguchi
Julie Yoon
San Yousif
Lorel Zaide
Vlad Zaychik
Galit Zmora

Leonard Ackman, Director
Lois Albanese, Scheduler
Ronald Albiani, Social Studies



Barbara Anderson, English
Glenn E. Anderson, Industrial Arts
William Apostol, Science



Jean Armour, Girls' PE
John Armour, Boys' PE
James C. Batts, English



Mr. Beeftink discusses his previous lecture with students after school. Extra work is necessary to earn an A.



Steven Beaver, Foreign Language
John P. Beeftink, Science



With the help of Mr. Johnson, senior Kevin Steele attempts to open a package that has arrived. The theater department becomes involved with many activities throughout the year.

Kathleen Bentsen, Mathematics
Raymond Bentsen, Computers





Dorothy Beringer, Secretary
Gerald W. Boevers, Social Studies
Phyllis Bower, Guidance Secretary



Arlene Bracken, Guidance Secretary
David Brandes, Social Studies
Joseph Brennen, Foreign Language



George A. Brink, Foreign Language
John R. Burkell, Boys' PE
Emil Capitani, Mathematics

The watchful eye of Mr. Geis guides these students to perfection! A student's relationship with his teacher is an important aspect.



Educational Encouragement

They left the room stunned by the unbelievable discussion on "Bio Medical Ethics" they had just heard at Seminars for Scholars, a program which presents discussions on this and other complex and sensitive issues. Once a month, chosen seniors break away from their hectic schedule to participate in group lectures on topics such as the Politics of Television, the American Penal System, and the Future of Nuclear Energy.

The Seminars for Scholars program encourages students to take action on challenging issues. Participants confront speakers, who are leaders in

their fields, and also debate with fellow seniors. The exciting presentations, directed by Gerald Boevers and Tom McMahon, evoke many questions and heighten concern about the issues presented. By participating in Seminars for Scholars, students receive a deeper understanding of the issues debated. Senior Mikhail Lyubansky commented, "The Seminars for Scholars program gives us a chance to learn about real-life problems in today's world, problems that are not discussed in a regular classroom."

Julie Kohl

Stanley Carey, CVF
Clare A. Carlsen, Nurse
Juanita Carlson, CIC
Mary Pat Carr, Guidance Counselor



Raymond Carr, CIC
Barbara Chausow, Home Economics
Walter W. Cocking, Guidance
Counselor
Marla Cowan, Foreign Language



Jean Damisch, IIC
Gary D. Davis, Art
Wilda M. DeFur, Home Economics
Ed Degenhardt, Science



Marie DeLeonardis, Audio Visual
Jeanne Derichs, English
Glenn L. Dessing, Science
Irwin Drobny, Social Studies



Todd Dvorak, Mathematics
George E. Earl, Driver's Education
Judy Erickson, Resource Center Clerk
Don W. Field, Mathematics



Gerald R. Firak, Science
Patrick J. Flynn, English
Steven B. Roerch, Science
Christopher Fontana, Foreign
Language





With a knife in hand and the supervision of Barbara Chausow, senior Lambros Kalamaris puts the finishing touches on his creeping pancake. Students enjoy making (as well as eating) their creations.



Decisions, Decisions- Counselors To The Rescue

Because of the great variety of classes to choose from, students often find making their course selections difficult.

Every spring, students meet with their counselors, who play an important part in helping students choose these classes. This process takes a lot of careful thought on behalf of both the student and the counselor in order to build schedules that meet both graduation requirements and prerequisites for college. "Our counselors make sure that we are taking the necessary requirements for that year, but it is really up to us to plan what we will be taking in the future," explains junior Laura Bourikas.

Freshmen may have a hard time electing courses for their first year because of unfamiliarity with the system and the many requirements. Sophomores and juniors find less complication in making out their schedules because they know what to expect and can construct their schedules around required courses, such as U.S. History, Health, and Consumer Education.

Although students find the selection of courses a long and tedious process, they soon discover that counselors act as friends in helping them make the right choices!

Karen Popke



Making sure that homework is done, students find time to share ideas before class. As juniors, students find the pressures overwhelming.

The demands of teachers cause students to dedicate more time and effort to their studies. Once again, the Oakton Lobby proves to be a perfect spot.

Excuses, Excuses

Whimpering, whinning, and pleading, student excuses become more of a plea for forgiveness than an actual admission of forgetfulness. Every year, students come up with crazy excuses to give to their teachers, who usually trust the most inexperienced liars of all ... the freshmen. The following students describe their best excuses:

"I was lost." - Steve Michaels

"I asked for directions and some senior sent me in the wrong direction." - Miguel Ramirez

"I couldn't open my locker because I forgot my combination." - Ryan Mollet

"My mom ran out of diapers and used my homework as a substitute." - Erik Bauer

On the receiving end, teachers have heard many bizarre excuses:

"My father is an air traffic controller and he mistakenly sent the planes in the wrong direction. In the process, the plane crashed into our home and seven other houses, killing three families." - Chris Fontana, Spanish.

"I have my homework on my computer disk but the disk won't work in the computers here." - Larry Broy, Physics.

"My cat threw up on it." - Geri Nash, English.

As the freshmen become sophomores, their devious plots fail because they realize that teachers put more emphasis on honesty than creativity.

Cari Miller

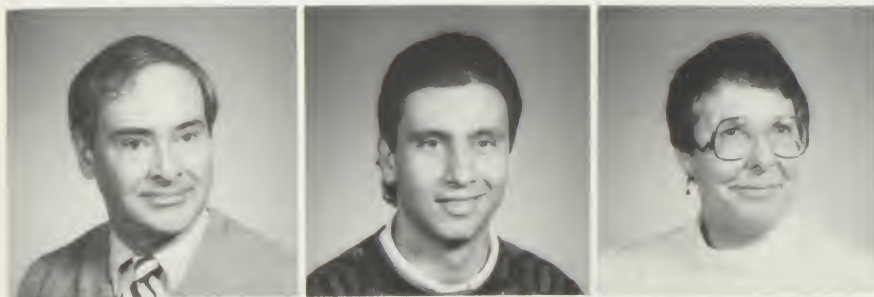
Recalling previous lectures, Ron Campbell's student shows her knowledge of first aid. Through this course, students become more secure about helping others in danger.

Students gather for extra help at an early meeting held before school. Teachers are often willing to come in half an hour earlier to provide assistance to students.

Along with the title of being upperclassmen comes the joy of **FINALLY** driving. Junior Charlotte Buehling borrows a pencil from her instructor to complete her Driver's Ed final.



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 William F. Geismann, English
 David M. Genis, Science
 Barbara Golden, Resource Center Clerk



George Galla, Health Education
 Angela T. Graham, English
 Ronald Gralewski, CIC
 Barbara Handler, Guidance Counselor



Bill Handzel, AVE
 Lee M. Heeren, Girls' PE
 Maria Helgeson, CIC



Ron Henrici, PE
 Josephine Hentz, Mathematics
 Daniel D. Hill, Social Studies



Carl Geis, Mathematics
 Dennis L. Hoeppner, Science
 Joyce Horne, Librarian
 Linda H. Horwitz, ESL



Underclassmen gain knowledge in Biology as they conduct an experiment with a real heart. Lab courses offer a wide variety of experiments such as this one.

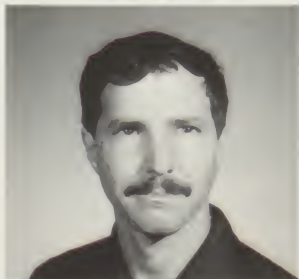
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Marian Jaeschke, Home Economics
Andrew L. Johnson, Foreign Language



Stanton M. Jones, Mathematics
Glenn Jurek, Industrial Arts
Ted A. Kaitchuck, Music



Brian Katzman, Team Trainer
Rita Kay, Science
William Kelly, IIC





Health teacher Mr. Galla instructs students with the correct steps of first aid. The procedure may prove to be useful to many in the future.

Healthy, Wealthy And Wise

By taking the required, one semester health class, students learn the fundamentals of physical and mental health in a meaningful way. Besides the usual textbook readings, students study about health through filmstrips, lectures, and handouts.

When studying both physical and mental diseases, students learn the causes and symptoms of diseases as well as their cures and how to

avoid diseases. While learning about nutrition, students find out how to exercise properly and maintain a healthy diet. Knowledge of body parts, systems, and functions also helps students become better acquainted with the working of their bodies. When it comes to mental health, students learn ways to cope with stress by discovering solutions to their problems.

Besides learning the basic

facts about health, students receive lessons on how to give CPR and how to stop people from choking. The class also stresses the importance of the hazards of smoking, drinking, and taking drugs.

Through all these activities, health class emphasizes the importance of life and how to live it well, both physically and mentally.

Michelle Bauer
Karen Popke



Charles P. Kemmler, Psychologist
Marvin G. Klebba, English
Marilyn Kolas, Computer Center



Anthone Kort, Mathematics
Donald Larson, PE
David Lee, Social Worker



Arthur H. Leipold, Social Studies
Ann Levinson, Science
Mary Inez Long, Science

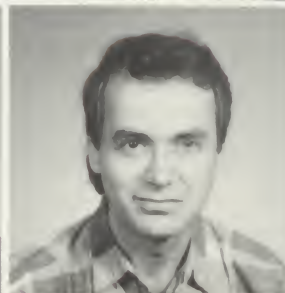


Elmer E. Lucas, Girls' PE
Shirley Lundberg, IIC
Patricia Matlak, Girls' PE

Bea Mroz, Dean's Secretary
Edmund Murphy, Foreign Language
Robert Murphy, Mathematics



John Moshak, Social Studies
Eugene Mitz, Photocopying
Alex Miron, Foreign Language



Dorothy Mitnick, Principal's Secretary
Tom Meskel, Director
Geri M. Nash, English



The Big Rush

After weeks of putting off homework assignments and not studying for tests, students, once again, face the big rush at the end of the marking period. In the 6th week, students find themselves under more pressure than at any other time in the grading period. Not only do students have to get caught up, but they also must handle the extra work that teachers try to fit in.

Soon, time usually wasted talking with friends in the cafeteria turns into time spent more wisely in the library. Students also talk less on the phone and watch less

television during that last week because of the increased study time needed to achieve good grades.

Wise students can avoid all the unnecessary hassle and pressure by preparing themselves earlier. Remembering that marking periods consist of six weeks rather than one week should help students to avoid the sixth week rush. Many students go through the big rush not realizing that the same grade could be achieved in an easier, less stressful way — by studying from week one!

Michelle Bauer



Anticipating a perfect meal, senior Gina Kanellakis follows specific directions from a recipe. With this experience, Gina is sure to become a true chef!



Pam Nikitow, Secretary of Student Services
Gerry O'Connell, Secretary of Athletics
Elizabeth Oldham, Home Economics



Jerome E. Orr, English
Elizabeth Perez, Foreign Language
Marlene Peterson, Social Worker



Helen Porten, Librarian
Robert E. Porter, Boys' PE
Michael Radkovich, Director



Robert A. Reding, Guidance Counselor
William R. Richardson, Boys' PE
Donald G. Ring, Principal



Wayne Rogoski, Science
Michaela Rowland, IIC
Lois Samuels, Secretary of Administration



Patrick J. Savage, Business Education
Gloria Schabillon, Librarian
Billy D. Schnurr, Boys' PE

Robert Schutt, English
Hedy Schwenn, Resource Center Clerk
Phyllis Seltzer, CIC Secretary



Lee Sellers, Mathematics
Faith V. Shapiro, English
Carol A. Simone, Social Studies



Jerome Slattery, Mathematics
Judy Sloan, Girls' PE
Jerry Smith, Mathematics



David Solovy, IIC
Lois A. Stanciak, Director
Roger D. Stein, Director



Senior Keith McMath smiles a sign of relief as he completes his assignment with the help of his teacher, **Angela Graham**. Extra help is always available for those who need it.

Accomplishments Equal Awards!!



In an attempt to explain a new concept of mathematics to students, Dr. Korte sets up an example on the board. Class lectures usually prove to be an effective method of learning.

The cool, dark room slowly filled with teachers, students, and parents. People arrived through every possible entrance, and soon, the previously empty room lacked space. This event might have aroused curiosity in uninformed bystanders, but for those in attendance, this was a very important and rewarding night when all their scholastic accomplishments for that entire year would be acknowledged and commended — Awards Night!

The program began with the Pledge of Allegiance, and then Mr. Geismann, the master of ceremonies, announced the Faculty Retirement Awards, many other faculty awards, and the scholarship awards for the seniors and juniors.

As the night progressed, Edward Hirsh, the distinguished alumnus, talked briefly about his experiences at

Niles West before he became a recognized poet. The sophomores were next to ascend the stage of the auditorium and receive their scholarship awards. Last, but not least, the nervously waiting freshmen finally made their way forward to their first award ceremony, hoping they would receive more awards in the years to come.

The attention of the audience was recaptured by a display of colossal slides of students, while Expressions sang, accompanied by members of the orchestra. The same confusion that started the program, ended it as crowds of people, big and small, exited the auditorium and entered the reception in the cafeteria. Now, however, the recently acquired plaques, pins, and ribbons were the cause for the celebration.

Karrie Karahalios



Rita Stewart, Director
James Strnad, Science
John Sullivan, Social Studies



Andrea Tomaras, Secretary of
Language Arts
Gerald Turry, Director
Don Waddell, Science

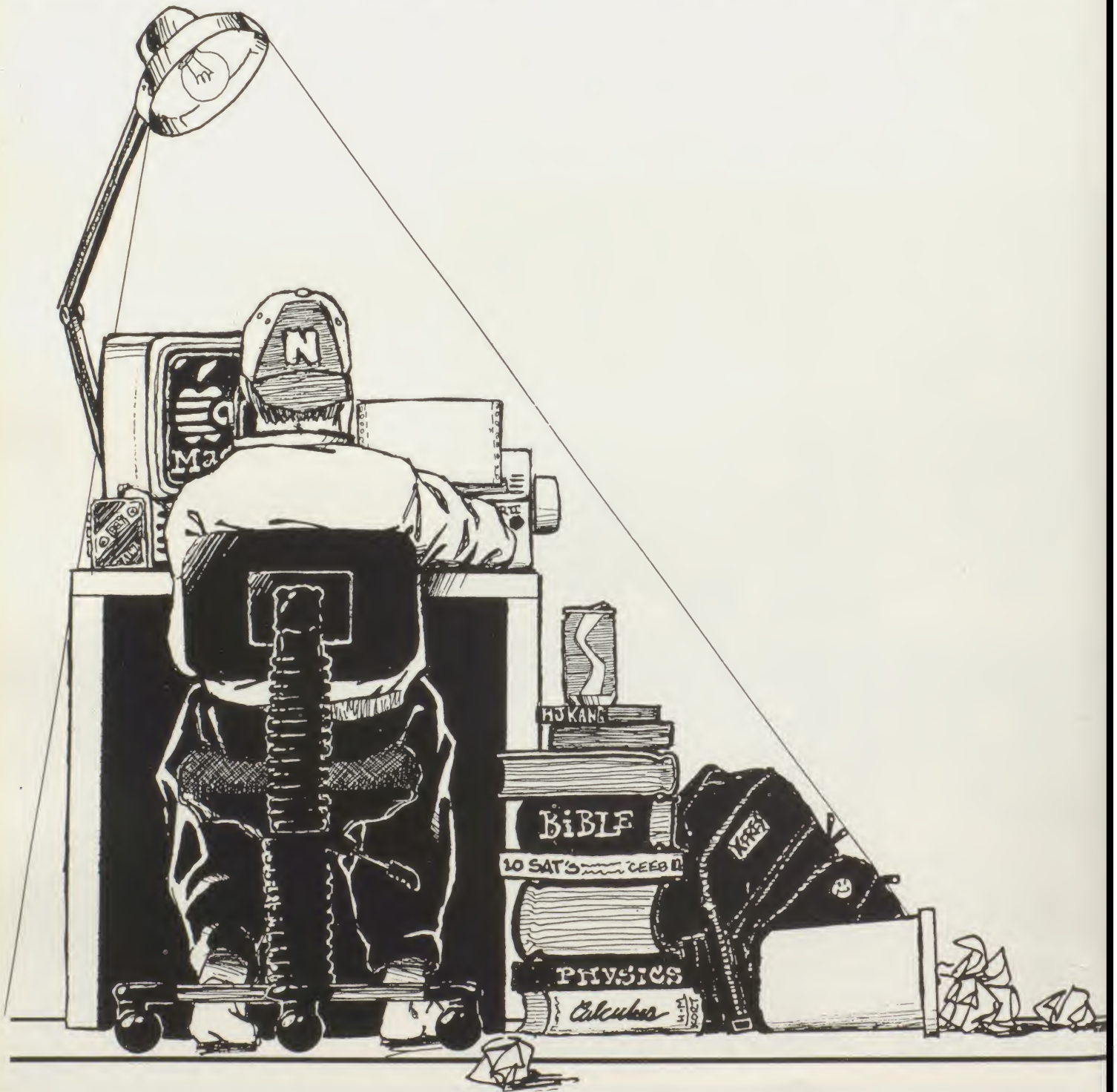


Millie Warkenthien, Attendance
Clerk
Stan Weitzenfeld, Mathematics
John Winterhalter, Director



Nikki Zarefsky, Reading
Peter R. Zorn, Foreign Language
Laurie Zucker, Speech Corr.

Academics





Rachel Cohen verifies her fitness scores by checking the bulletin board in the main gym. Information can be easily obtained by students.

Autos (ô' toz) *n* 1. where Midas Touch is taught 2. chance to experiment on parent's car 3. when you don't want to pay a lot for your muffler

Driver's Education (driv' êrz ej' oo-ka'shan) *n* 1. where new Indy 500 drivers are born 2. demolition derby 3. roller coaster ride of West 4. lesson in cone knocking

Home Economics (hom ek' a-nom' iks) *n* 1. "moocher's" dream class 2. for those still "young at heart" to climb with the three year olds of Child Development through the jungle gym 3. sewing class taken by the few who actually stitch up holes at the knee of torn jeans

P.E. (pe e) *n* 1. smelly uniforms 2. punishment exercise 3. abbreviated since no one recognizes it as Physical Education 4. *only* swimming pool filled during a Chicago winter

Study Hall (stud'i hôl) *n* 1. cafe time 2. forty minutes to catch up on some ZZZ's 3. freshman's chance to add finishing touches to homework completed the previous night



Concentrating on their creations, seniors Lynn Pappas and Estelle Nikolakakis complete their meat foldovers. Home Ec. classes are commonly chosen among students.



Astonished by her test grade, senior Rachel Posner shares her happiness with Jeannie Choi. Pressures of getting into college force students to strive to do their best.

Psychology teacher Mr. Albani explains to his victim, a "fresh" person, exactly how the experiment works.

Deeply involved in a psychology experiment, this "fresh" person tries to tie the scissors to the string that is dangling from the ceiling. This logic problem is among the class's most popular because of the confusion it causes.





This "fresh" person looks unhappy at the prospect of being the guinea pig for this psychology demonstration. Attention is being paid to Mr. Albani, who explains the experiment carefully.

Concentrating intensely, this "fresh" person thinks she has solved the problem. Answering a question like this requires critical thinking.

Smiles of anticipation appear on the faces of Mr. Albani's psychology class. They know the answer to the puzzle, but they doubt any freshman will.



With the problem finally solved, the "fresh" person vows his revenge on Mr. Albani. No doubt he will be avenged by taking the class in the future and watching other freshmen suffer.

Getting All Psyched Up

Room 219, where Ronald Albani's Psychology class met, often struck fear into the hearts of freshmen. To illustrate a point, a Psychology student might locate an unsuspecting "freshperson," as Albani would refer to the chosen representative of the class of '91, and request that the victim participate in an experiment. Jordan Dorf, for example, tried to memorize the names of everyone in the class in order to illustrate the learning process. Giving his opinion of this and simi-

lar demonstrations, senior Frank Brodsky said, "They were very entertaining because they broke up the monotony of a normal class period. In doing these experiments, Albani made learning fun."

Democracy evolved late in the semester when students voted on which chapters they wanted to study, allowing students to choose exactly which subjects they would learn during the last six weeks. Decisions varied from class to class based on

differing interest in areas of psychology. For example, one class chose to study adolescence, while another focused on personality theories.

Albani has described his teaching style as natural, humorous, and full of personality, and although Albani refused to comment on how well he felt his teaching methods worked, senior Bob Levy eagerly volunteered, "I related to Albani. He convinced me that psychology was something I wanted to

learn."

For the past 26 years, Albani has taught psychology because he believes that this class helps students to answer the questions they have about themselves and to give better insight into how they and others feel. Sophomore Jean Lee commented, "The class stressed many aspects of human behavior. It explored our innermost feelings and motives."

Marcia Tiersky



Not missing a detail- this student measures the angles of his drawing with the use of dividers. Technical drawing introduces students to the language of this industry and then leads them on to more challenging projects.

Drawing Techniques Keep Students Busy

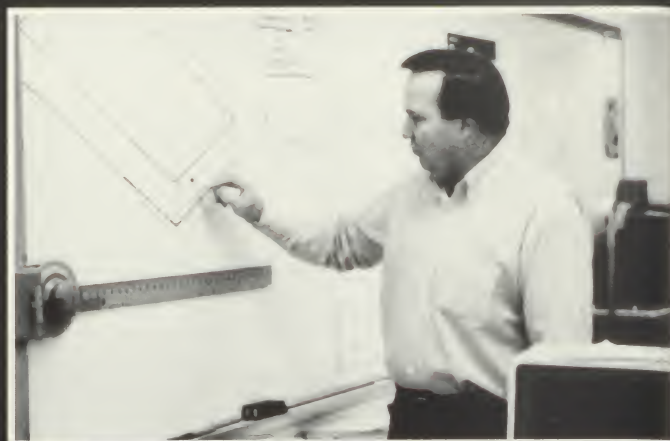
What course enables one to transform an idea into an actual product with the help of a computer system? What course prepares students for a career in the designing world? Technical and Architectural Drawing classes provide these and other skills.

Technical drawing introduces students to the language of industry and leads them from the basics of holding a pencil to advanced lessons with hands-on experience using the new Computer Aided Drafting (CAD) System. Another course, Architectural Drawing, prepares students for a career in

building interior and exterior landscape. During the year-long course, students design and construct paper models of their houses including details of interior space utilization. Architectural drawing offers a series of detailed drawings that require some help from the CAD system.

Many students take these practical courses to better understand the industrial world and prepare themselves for college level programs in either architecture or engineering.

Donna Peterson



Instructor Mel Schmidt prepares an example on the board for his students to follow.

With help of the new Computer Aided Drafting System, a student works on his drawing for his architecture course.



Choosing the right instrument for his assignment, a technical drawing student looks through his case to find the right one. Technical Drawing prepares students for a career in the designing world.

Technical drawing students listen to the directions for the next project from instructor Mel Schmidt. This class is the pre-requisite of the advanced drafting and architecture courses.



Under the guidance of Mel Schmidt, students in technical drawing learn a wide variety of techniques. Here, a student completes his assignment, taking into account every detail.

"Always be sure you have enough gas," instructs Carl VanCleave. Driver's Education offers students the opportunity to learn the rules of the road through school course work.

From the windshield Mr. Earl watches the drivers go in a circle around the range. The range proves effective in learning to escape driving hazards.



Future Drivers Face Challenge Of Classroom, Range And Behind The Wheel

Screeching tires and honking horns sound off in Driver's Education, a useful course which prepares sophomores and juniors to obtain their driver's licenses.

The instruction includes three different areas—classroom, range driving, and behind the wheel. During classroom, the teacher provides filmstrips of driving techniques and teaches the causes of accidents, methods of preventing them, and the techniques of good, safe driving. Range instruction allows the student to try to master correct techniques and helps make the student less afraid of driving. At the beginning of behind the wheel instruction, a student drives on streets with little traffic.

Eventually, the student drives to the

Elston Driving Test Center and even experiences the expressway.

Students whose grades in both classroom and behind the wheel instruction average an A or a B, have a chance to take the driving test at school. Once the student has passed the course and obtained a driver's license, he can say goodbye to the yellow school bus forever.





Driving instructor Mr. Earl carefully observes the activity of his students on the range.



Learning proper driving techniques enables the student driver to become more aware of driving hazards. Here, a student is being shown how to properly read the gauges on the dashboard.

Maneuvering past strategically placed cones is only one step in the driver's education program. After range lessons the student then undergoes the challenge of driving on the streets of Skokie.





Theater workshop provides students with a background in the acting profession. Here, class members perform an assignment before their peers.

Instructing his students, Mr. Johnson gives detailed instructions of the next activity. Those who enroll in this class receive an English credit.





Class members act as if they are carrying a toy box into the room. Students imagine the props they are to use while acting.



Theater workshop members observe their fellow classmates act. Students provide the encouragement their peers need in this class.



A class member takes notes on the latest assignment. Theater workshop is not all fun and games; hard work is necessary to succeed.



Stage directions are necessary to know for future careers in acting. The class practices this under the watchful eyes of Mr. Johnson.

Playing Around; The Ins And Outs Of Acting

"Twas brillig and the
slithy toves
Did gyre and gimble in
the wabe
All mimsy were the
borogoves
And the mome raths
outgrabe."

This famous beginning of Lewis Carol's immortal story, "Jabberwocky" constitutes a major project accomplished by Mr. Johnson's Theater Workshop students who act out the words according to the way they view the poem.

Theater Workshop, a beginning class of drama and acting, gives students a chance to express themselves in ways not usually seen in every day life. Johnson teaches basic techniques in the acting process, requiring students to create many

different characters. Freshman Katherine Ripley states, "My favorite part of the class is when we get to pretend we are someone else or someone we want to be." In addition to the acting process, students also learn how to interpret a script using both voice and movement. "I try to teach the students how to make characters out of the words written on paper," explains Johnson. Other class projects include improvisations and other word games.

Summing up the feelings of her fellow classmates, Amy Ryan commented, "I enjoy the amount of theatrical participation in the class because I want to be an actress one day myself."

Hilary Kaden

The Humanistic Approach

Feeling culturally deprived? Need a view other than the four walls of the classroom? Want to know more about music, photography, and the art from the past? These topics represent just a few of the ones covered in a course called Humanities.

Students look forward to the class taught by Tom McMahon. Movies shown do not typify the usual, boring school movies. Whether taped from Cable T.V. or rented, all focus on cultural ideas.

The course begins in the 60's and during the semester works its way up to the 80's. Beatles music dominates the first week. The second week covers the Vietnam War and its impact at home, a topic often neglected in U.S. History.

Several field trips highlight the year. Students may attend the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the American Ballet Theater, the Lyric Opera House, and a musical such as "Hair".

Most students enjoy the Humanities class. Senior Ryoko Yamaguchi summed up student response when she said, "We get a better knowledge of our past".

**Julie Kohl
Nicole Price**

"When is our next field trip?" inquires senior Desey Tziortzis to her fellow classmate, Mike Spiropoulos. Many students take humanities because it gives them a better knowledge of our country's past history.



Humanities teacher Tom McMahon listens to the problem his student faces in the completion of a class assignment. The course begins with a study of the 60's and during the semester works its way up to the 80's.





Humanities students discuss the latest movie they are watching during class. The class, taught by Tom McMahon, focuses on cultural ideas.

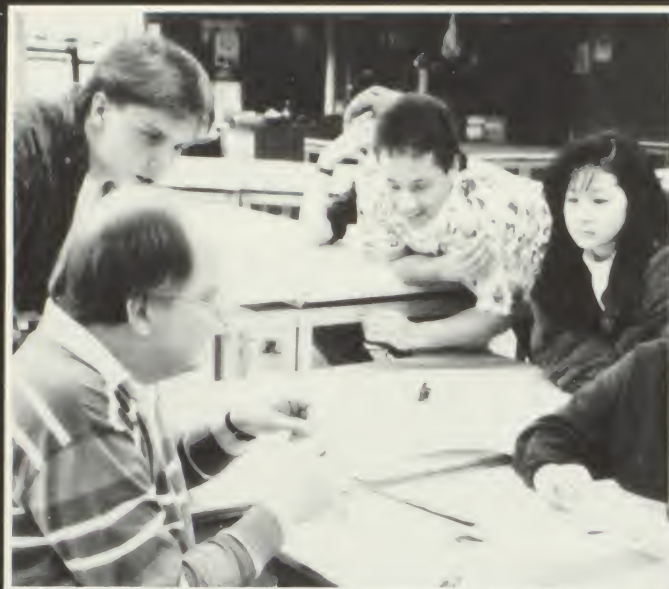


The variety of field trips and movies shown in class are a highlight to this course. Students listen intently to Tom McMahon as he speaks of an upcoming field trip to the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.



Receiving input from his students, Tom McMahon responds to the comments made on a recent issue. The class is offered as an elective at Ni-WeHi.

Art students direct their attention to Richard Requarth. Demonstrations are often necessary to clarify a point.



Perfection with each stroke is in the mind of all artists. Here, an art student completes her assignment with that thought in mind.



Knead, roll, cut, shape. It may seem that cookies are about to be baked, while, in fact, art students are shaping clay into ceramic tiles to create a work of art. Beginning with art foundations, students are able to progress from pencil and ink drawings to metal sculpturing and pottery.





Concentrating to achieve perfection, an art student adds the finishing touches to her project. A sense of accomplishment is present after each individual presents their masterpiece to the teacher.

Can You Picture That?

"Can you picture that?" demands the song from *The Muppet Movie*. Students involved in art classes certainly can, as they participate in activities ranging from sculpting to painting and latchhooking.

After taking the prerequisite course, Art Foundations, beginners, specialists, or people just interested in self-expression can choose from a variety of classes which help fulfill the practical art requirement in a fun and educational way. All ages, from

freshman to senior, can participate in any of the art classes offered. The relaxed, friendly atmosphere gives students a chance to enjoy a class with students they might not otherwise have a chance to mingle with.

The art program encourages students to push a little harder and to look within themselves for hidden talent. Wise students take full advantage of such elective programs which provide both education and enjoyment.

Marcia Tiersky



Senior Henry Rodriguez illustrates the technique of latch-hooking to fellow classmate Jim Ciemny. From painting to pottery, the art classes provide a wide variety of projects.

The Engines Revving Up

Turning the screwdriver, Mr. Jurek shows his class of aspiring mechanics the secrets of working on a car engine. The familiar scene of students observing the teacher and the teacher observing the students takes place everyday in autos class.

An elective course, Autos can be helpful if a student owns a car. The class teaches various parts of the car and the engine and also provides helpful information about needed amounts of fluids such as gasoline, oil and windshield-washer. Students also learn how to remove parts of the engine and carburetor. Then teachers allow students to practice on their own engines in the Autos Lab.

Autos class attracts only a few girls and many guys. On the advice of his counselor, junior Jaye Jao registered after numerous incidents of car trouble. Enrollment figures show that Autos might not be the most popular class, but it provides useful information and hands-on experience for those who plan to be "in the driver's seat."

Rodney Pintang



Working diligently to repair the engine, auto students attempt to accomplish their task. Autos provides students with hands on experience that will be beneficial in their future lives.



Teamwork is essential in all aspects of life. Students work together to put the finishing touches on their machinery.



Before getting to work, autos students listen intently to instructor Glenn Jurek as he discusses a new technique. With guidance, teamwork and enthusiasm, students accomplish their goals.



Selecting from the wide variety of equipment, an auto's student makes his choice. Autos is only one of the many industrial arts programs offered at West.



With intense concentration, autos students combine their efforts to produce an ideal engine. The course provides students with many practical skills.



P.E. teachers Larsen and Sloan take a minute to discuss the day's activities. The experimental, co-educational gym program consists of juniors and seniors.

Catching up on the latest news, P.E. students wait for the activity to begin. P.E. not only teaches students to be fit, but also builds new friendships.

Teamwork is necessary to win matches. Students of an experimental gym class congratulate each other after scoring another point.



Physical Experiment

Boring, day to day gym routines come to an end as variety and coeducation hit junior and senior classes! A new, experimental program helps students get more exercise and achieve better endurance scores.

Physical fitness tests such as arm-strength, sit-ups, and the mile run determine the difficulty level of each class. Students chosen at random participate in groups of low, average, and high ability. Most gym classes do one specific activity an entire six weeks, while this program varies each day so that different muscle groups don't weaken from lack of use. A typical day

consists of running two laps, stretching for three minutes, thirty seconds of push-ups, twenty "crunchers", and pickleball, volleyball, basketball, or soccer.

Many students feel that the new form of fitness helps to add variety to daily routines. Senior Andree Abelkis remarked, "It's a really good program because you don't have to do the same thing every day." Whether the program exists next year depends on additional feedback from students and results of fitness tests.

Debbie Brodsky



Seniors Christina Gabriel and JiSun Kim await to see if their opponents are able to return their shot. The experimental gym program provides a wide variety of activities that range from badminton to floor hockey.



During the match, a P.E. student prepares to serve the ball and win the point for his team. Before the day's activity begins, the students must warm up with the specified instructions of their teacher.



During Chef's class, Mrs. Barbara Chausow looks on in horror as senior Gina Kanellakis stirs her mixture. Everything must be done exactly as the recipe says in order to produce a successful dish.



Cooking up something besides trouble, juniors Marc Tadelman and Rodney Pintang stir their batter vigorously. The art of cooking is taught to all interested students.

Home Economics Provides Lust For Living

Hmm! The aroma of savory meals is enough to alert anyone's taste buds. Bzzz! The echo of sewing machines signifies the beginning of a stylish and unique creation. Playful laughter of small children in the nursery and the pounding of 12 tiny pairs of feet bring a smile to every passing face. Where else might you find such wonderful sights, sounds, and smells but the Home Economics department?

Home Ec., as it is commonly called, provides students with a variety of classes ranging from Child Development to Interior Design. Each course is designed to give knowledge to students in a particular field. Child Development, for example, begins by teaching the basics behind different types of day care centers, children's behavior, growth and development patterns, and

other ideas related to child care. Finally, about a dozen three year olds begin to arrive twice a week to be taught and taken care of by Child Development classes. While dealing with these irresistible toddlers, students are faced with the emotional, mental, and physical aspects of a child with respect to growth.

Furthermore, clothing and foods classes provide a learning experience beyond the normal classroom environment. Clothing puts its emphasis on fashion and the role it plays in our changing society. Foods, on the other hand, provides background information on cooking principles. Both classes allow students to be creative and experiment with making various articles of clothing or preparing recipes.

Still other possibilities include

courses such as Management for Living or Interior Design. Management for Living brings students face to face with current consumer issues and financial decisions, while Interior Design encourages the expression of personal preferences.

Students enjoy and take advantage of these special classes. Whether it be for possible future career choices or for the excitement and pleasure, Home Ec. classes provide interested students with a change from the normal classroom environment. It has proven to be a popular program among students year after year. Anxious participants await to see exactly how successful their next work of art or gourmet creation will be!

**Parveen Najiullah
Estelle Nikolakakis**



Becoming a master chef requires more than just cooking skills. Proper clean-up is also needed, as senior Wally Sajdak proves.



Is it Bugs Bunny and Tony the Tiger? Oh, it's Halloween! Taking a stroll in the hallways for some treats, the tots from Child Development collect candy and other goodies from generous teachers.



The surprise of a young clown as he opens his treat bag reminds junior Rachel Rosenberg of the joys of Halloween. Child Development allows participating students to experience childhood from a completely different perspective.

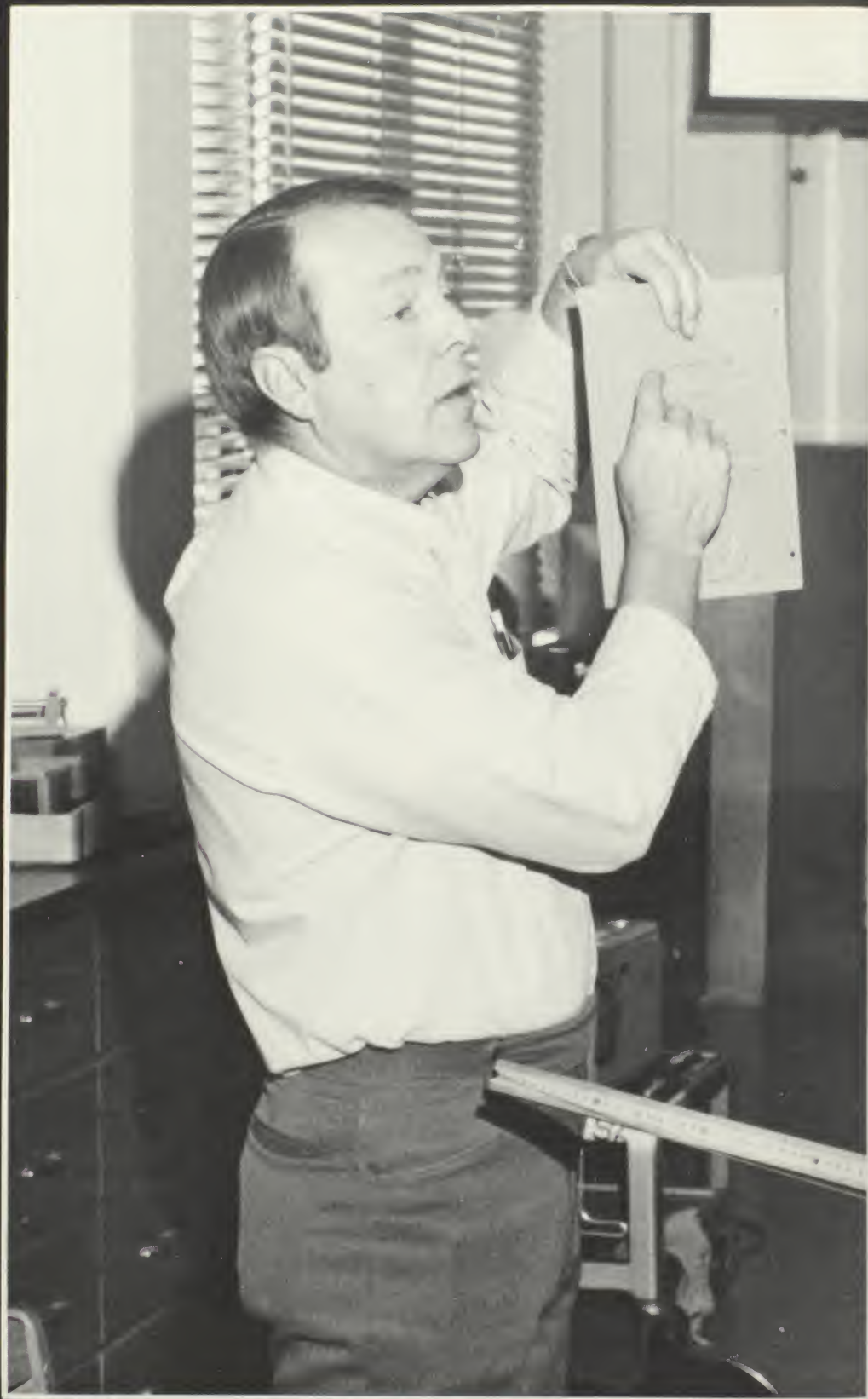


The sewing machines take quite a while to master and Herbie E. (not pictured) Martin Jac-chke assists Sherry Henry while others anxiously await their turn.



Tape readings are part of a two-week long experiment which challenge a student's ability to produce appropriate data.

Determination is often required to complete assigned labs. Senior Melissa Connell calculates furiously as fellow senior Cia Lallas pulls the block.



Explaining the lab to his students is Physics teacher Dennis Hoepfner. Labs provide a break for students from the traditional lectures.



What will the effect of dropping the weight be? Junior Sharon Bak, with a smile on her face, prepares to make this discovery.



Attempting to prove one of Newton's Laws is senior Shoma Chatterjee. Chatterjee is actually breaking cement with a small mallet on her classmate's stomach.

Junior David Cabreira works intently during class. Accurately measuring acceleration tapes, calculating figures, and working out problems all contribute to succeeding in a Physics class.



Physics Findings

A person lies on a bed of nails as a block of cement sits across his chest. Suddenly, someone raises the mallet and slams it down onto his chest, breaking the block in two. No, a nightmare is not being witnessed. This is only one of the many intriguing experiments conducted in Physics.

Students participating in this class are used to demonstrations of this type as a normal part of their classroom curriculum. Physics, open mostly to juniors and seniors, provides students with the chance to discover the magic of motion. The course covers a variety of subjects on force, gravity, motion, and other matters of physical science. Labs occur often, giving students some hands-on experience with the principles they learn about in lectures and textbooks.

If a student loves cats and

bees, however, he should think carefully about attending this class. Cruelty to and punishment of cats and bees are commonly mentioned in lectures. Students should also be warned about the "shotgun quiz". This is a principle advocated by many teachers, but few quite as originally as Dennis Hoeppner, who provides the shotgun as well as the quiz.

Many students describe the class as "entertaining" or "exciting". Junior Jean Lee states, "It's kind of hard, but we learn a lot." The class attracts many students, as several honors and regular classes occur at various mods throughout the day. For students interested in learning about the physical world, or those who enjoy the experience of labs (or simply dislike cats and bees), the Physics room is the place to go.

Marcia Tiersky

SPECIAL EVENTS





On his knees, senior Yuri Keegstra begs for forgiveness. School plays draw quite a large audience.

Graduation (graj-ə-wa-shən) *n* 1. Beach ball makers of Osco finally make a profit 2. partying 3. the *ONLY* cure for senioritis

Grease (gres) *n* 1. opportunity for students to smoke in school 2. jocks finally try out and get into a play 3. 95% of food content in cafeteria 4. guys put on black leather jackets and act cooler than they really are 5. a country in Europe

Halloween (hal-ə-wen) *n* 1. chance for freaks of West to parade 2. free candy 3. when cops on Hill wear rain coats to avoid flying eggs and shaving cream 5. what hot dogs look like before Oscar Meyer inserts cheese

Prom (präm) *n* 1. limo drivers pay day 2. reason to take day off from school 3. time for scrounging pennies from Piggy Bank 4. night free of underclassmen

Turnabout (tər-nə-baut) *n* 1. dance where guys finally think of excuses to say no 2. guys order most expensive item on menu since they're not paying anyway 3. guys kiss up to girls a week in advance 4. what your stomach does after lunch



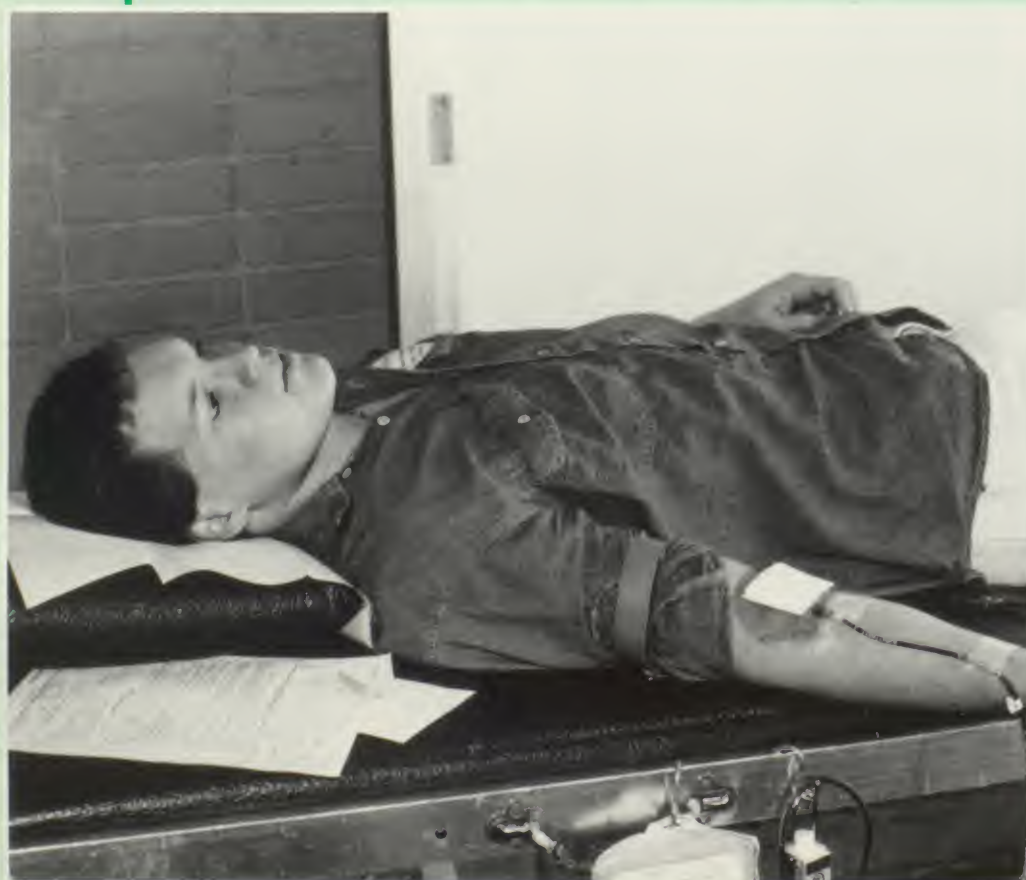
Boo! Participating in Halloween fun, juniors Holly Kahn and Tracy Hirshman focus their attention at all their admirers



Receiving the most recent information from college representatives, senior Elena Leibovich evaluates her alternatives. Juniors and seniors must prepare for the future.

A generous assortment of cookies are offered to those a little wary of donating blood and to revitalize those who just participated in the activity. Mike Tipescu partakes in eating these tasty morsels finding it to soothe the little queasiness sometimes associated with giving blood.

Giving blood is not the ordeal many believe it to be, as Tony Carollo demonstrates. Besides, the benefits of this life nourishing liquid greatly outweigh any initial discomfort there may be.





All aspects of a participant's health are considered in the blood donating process. One precaution is to take the volunteer's blood pressure to insure that they are healthy before they aid in the health of others.

To make the annual Blood Drive a success it is crucial that both student and faculty get involved. Principle Dr. Ring responds to the call of duty and happily volunteers to donate some blood.

Giving The Gift — The Precious Gift Of Life

Students gaze in awe as medical equipment fills the Oakton Lobby. Although some students ponder the presence of such apparatus, NHS members provide a clear answer. The annual blood drive, sponsored by the National Honor Society, supplies blood to various hospitals through Life-Source which stores the blood and distributes it as needed.

A student must be at least seventeen years of age, weigh 110 pounds or more, and be in good health to donate blood. A signed parental permission form must be submitted, as well. To encourage students and faculty members to give blood, NHS members visit homerooms, post signs, and make announcements during home-

room. Vincent Fang and Frank Brodsky took turns dressing up as Buford the Bloodhound and roaming the cafeteria during lunch modes to recruit potential donors. NHS members set up tables with cookies and juice to make donating more pleasant. After NHS members put so much effort into promoting the event, they had a nice surprise. Many students and faculty decided to donate at the last minute, so a total of ninety pints was collected.

Although donating blood hurts a little, there is a good feeling in knowing that it will help others. As NHS member Gail Gutterman said, "Giving blood helps humanity, and is therefore, worthwhile."

Ansa Qureshi



Junior Jenny Collins portrays one of her many characters in the spring play *Spoon River Anthology*. Each cast member took on several roles in order to project the complete list of characters.





"Will you marry me?" John Barba implores Wendy Doyle in a humorous song during the play *Spoon River Anthology*. The characters took on various roles in order to enact the production.



Thespians Ann Fisher and Kevin Steele sing their praises for Larry Mills, while Arthur Tiersky plays his guitar. *Spoon River Anthology* relied heavily on music as an integral part of the production.

River Flows Smoothly

For one weekend, the dead returned to life to tell their stories to interested viewers of the spring production, "*Spoon River Anthology*," a cluster of epitaphs based on the actual lives of people that had lived in Petersburg, Illinois.

Directed by English teacher James Batts, the cast of twelve handled over 50 parts, with each cast member taking five or six different roles. The actors included Katy Born, Ann Fisher, Amy Flack, Paul Katz, Larry Mills, Arthur Tiersky, David Lieb, Kevin Steele, Karen Guthrie, Kristin Hurt and Yuri Rutman. In addition John Barba, Wendy Doyle,

Paul Katz, and Pascale Trouillot handled singing parts for all three evening performances.

Lack of a definite plot made this show a challenge to perform. Actors changed character with as little as two or three minutes to establish themselves in the new role. Director Batts expressed great pleasure in the cast's hard work, saying, "The characterization went much deeper than I expected." Both cast and crew delighted in the final product of their hard work and anticipate an equally successful show next year.

Marcia Tiersky



Guitarist Arthur Tiersky plays background music as John Barba sings. Accompanying Barba are seniors Pascale Trouillot and Wendy Doyle.



Junior Karen Guthrie absorbs herself in her role. Guthrie was one of twelve students that performed in *Spoon River Anthology*.



At International Night, Korean club members perform a ceremonial dance to distinguish their culture. In addition to entertainment, students sampled a variety of foreign foods, courtesy of the various clubs in attendance.

It's A Small World

Crossing the border into the lavishly decorated student cafeteria, students, faculty and friends enjoyed an evening filled with music, dancing and cuisine from countries spanning the globe.

Entertainment provided by the Filipino, Korean, Hellenic, Chinese, Spanish, French, AFS and Israel clubs, kept feet tapping and eyes full of excitement.

The International Relations Council, along with sponsors Ed Murphy and Elizabeth Perez, deserve full credit for this well-planned, successful event. "It felt so

great when we needed to set up more tables because of our great turnout. We all worked long and hard for this night and we did more than a great job," state Filipino club representative Ares Ebreo.

Overall, "It's a Small World" turned out to be a big event. The Filipinos 'stick dance', the Chinese Club's karate show, the Hellenic Club's ethnic dances, and the Spanish Club's unforgettable, unbreakable piñata made International Night a great success!

Patty Tzortzis



Amazed spectators look on as a Chinese club member displays his mastery of the oriental art of karate. It is not suggested for this to be attempted at home.



Nations unite as Filipino club member Ares Ebreo and Hellenic club member Patti Tzortzis show off their fancy foot work. International Night gives students the opportunity to display the pride they have in their heritage.



International beauty is not foreign to NiWeHi, but it seldom comes to form with such magnificence as these Korean club members display, rippling a flower of color in the cafeteria. The Korean club's performance was one of a variety of foreign cultures, making the night complete.



The crowd enthusiastically watches as the Hellenic club performs the traditional dance of the Greek culture. As in years past, this was a highlight of the festive evening.

A picture is the perfect token of remembrance for this special occasion. The dance floor was filled with couples enjoying themselves at Prom.



Showing that chivalry is not dead, Carolyn Song feeds her date at the dance. The Knickerbocker Hotel provided delicious hors-d'oeuvres for the occasion.



An overview of the refreshment table at Prom shows the large turnout of students. The Knickerbocker ballroom provided an elegant atmosphere for the dance.



Smiles of delight appear on the faces of Andy Costello and Hilary Kaden as they look at the elegant bid they received. Enthusiasm fills the faces of many prom-goers as they anticipate the dance and the exciting plans made afterwards.



Gazing into each other's eyes, Anthony Irpino and Lisa Schapira romance the night away at Prom. The ballroom atmosphere made for a night of both fun and enchantment.

Just For A Moment

IT CAME DOWN TO ONE NIGHT. Whatever was to be said had to be said that night or be left untold. Mystery and intrigue filled the air, as the sky deepened its blue color and shone brightly the light from its many stars. The lake moved slowly to the rhythm of the evening, ebbing and swishing the tide toward the shore. Lake Shore Drive glowed from the light of the street lamps, meeting the Magnificent Mile at the formidable Drake Hotel. At another downtown hotel, hundreds of teenagers gathered to enjoy a special evening . . .

The Knickerbocker Hotel set the scene for the Class of 1988's Prom, the "Bon Voyage" party thrown by the junior class. The room was arranged in a spectacular assortment of round tables, bright decorations, and a color-lit, glass dance floor. Hors d'ouvres covered buffet tables, the band warmed-up, and everything stood ready for the guests to arrive and liven the atmosphere. When they did arrive, the room shook with excitement. Senior Heather McCulloh commented, "Being able to see everyone dressed-up and the

atmosphere and the music made it very special, and it was a nice chance to say good-bye to the graduates."

On the dance floor, students enjoyed swinging and bopping to oldies and the latest hits and slowly swaying to romantic melodies with their dates. Prom King and Queen were not something the Class of '88 was concerned with. They all simply enjoyed the evening, but for the sake of tradition, the most impressive couple, Dr. Ring and his wife, were secretly crowned Honorary Prom King and Queen by Mindy Grossberg and Megan Goldish. Dr. Ring commented on the honor, saying it was a pleasant surprise.

When the evening slowly gave way to the morning hours, Prom '88 passed and became another wonderful memory of the students at NiWeHi. Many of the students took advantage of the evening to do special things with friends and dates, such as taking carriage rides or walks on the beach, extending Prom Night to a week-end. No moment was left uncherished . . .

Nikoletta Antonakos



"And the Prom King and Queen are . . ." The crowd anxiously listens to class vice-president Mindy Grossberg and president Megan Goldish for the results. Dr. and Mrs. Ring were crowned honorary King and Queen and the crowd roared its approval.



"May I have this dance?" Byong Kim asks his date Halina Orawiec. After a bit of dancing and socializing, many couples spend a dazzling night on the town having a pleasant dinner, and perhaps taking a carriage or boat ride.

The red and white trio of Joy Grossberg, John Barba, and Michelle Dayan, sing "Just For a Moment" at the graduation ceremony. Singing was just one of the number of performances given to bid the seniors farewell.



On behalf of the graduating class, valedictorian Fernando Fenn talks of past accomplishments and future goals in his inspirational speech. It is a time to remember the happy memories of high school, and a time to look happily upon the future with anticipation.

Cap And Gown Time

All good things must come to an end, and with this in mind the class of '88 said a long awaited good-bye to their four years at NiWeHi and a bright hello to their futures. On a balmy, Sunday afternoon in a bleacher-filled Mike Basrak Stadium, parents and friends looked on at the sea of smiling faces dressed in red and white. Seniors sat in anticipation of receiving their diplomas and breaking their ties to Niles West forever. Many look forward to vacations, college, or whatever they choose to pursue. They listened intently as speakers such as valedictorian Fernando Fenn gave

words of encouragement and inspiration to his classmates.

It is at this time, sadly, that friends must say good-bye to their fellow peers and friends knowing they will soon embark on their separate paths. Others breathe a sigh of relief that this very day they have anticipated the entire year finally arrives. The crowd was entertained by the sweet words of "Just for a Moment", sung by Joy Grossberg, John Barba, and Michelle Dayan. The lyrics seemed so perfectly appropriate for this momentous occasion.

Ali Kwon



In the proudest moment of her life, graduate Bernadeth Danguian smiles and accepts her diploma from Dr. Stein. Graduation Day is the pinnacle of a student's high school years.



The joy of sharing special moments with friends, reflected in the embrace of these graduates, filled the spirits of all the graduates, as they realized their moments together were running out. The graduates were presented with their diplomas, then threw their caps high in the air, celebrating their freedom from high school.



The stage is set to bid farewell to the graduating class. It is beautifully arrayed with flowered bouquets, border trimmings, and various other decorations to exhibit a momentous occasion.



A graduate displays a very fashionable design on her graduation cap. The inspiration which led to this new fad was provided by the Girls' Soccer Team.



Dr. Ring praises the accomplishments of the graduating class, and with a smile, conveys his hope that their future endeavors will be bright and successful. The beautiful weather reflected his wish, as the graduation ceremony was able to be held on Basrack Field, in the presence of the proud relatives.



The Oakton Lobby is transformed into the destination for various schools across the country. Many colleges set up tables to display their pamphlets filled with information regarding their school.

A Glimpse Of Higher Education

As the helicopters land on the front lawn of Niles West, and the bands begin to play, passersby wonder about the cause of all the festivities. Over 300 representatives from other schools come to visit on College Night, giving students time to consider future plans and aspirations, and allowing them a cursory glance at the various schools in attendance. Some students choose to speak with many institutions extracting bits of information from each, while others key in on a few possibilities which might pique their interests. In either case, however, students formulate their own ideas

about the right school for their educational needs.

By attending College Night, students hope to examine the many opportunities available and to discover which school best fits their qualifications. Life only begins after high school, so students must prepare themselves as best they can for what lies ahead. Choosing a college is often the first major decision a student has to make, and College Night helps to alleviate some of the uncertainty and indecision students may face concerning their futures.

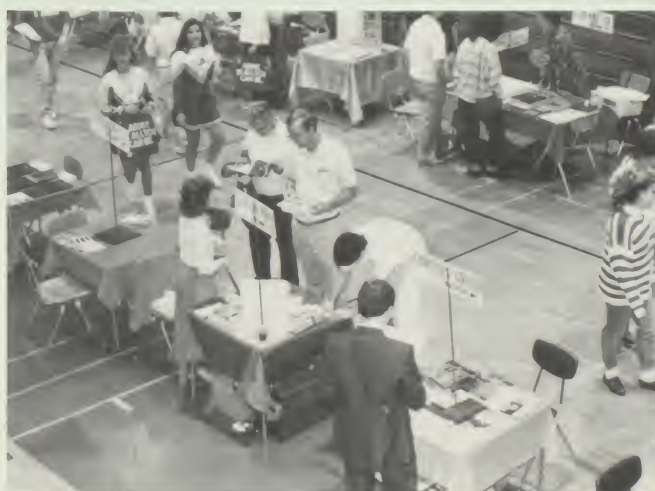
Christina Gabriel



Traditionally, College Night is marked by the Marines landing on the front lawn of Niles West. The presence of the military was a unique part of this important night.



Prospective applicant to Yale University, senior Matt Reznik smiles upon hearing their requirements. College Night provides opportunities for students to become acquainted with schools of all sorts from coast to coast.



Over 6000 students, parents, and faculty roam through the contest gym at the annual Niles West College Night. The event attracted some 300 schools nation-wide, including the military and vocational schools.



Parents and students both, show their interest in a certain school by questioning a visiting college representative. The main purpose of College Night is to gather information and enquire about possible schools.



Along with the many colleges in attendance, military forces also come to recruit possible potentials. Jae Sim takes the opportunity to seek information concerning his future in the navy.

Mom And Dad Go To School

The hallways bustled with numerous mortal beings walking in and out of each room, until the bell sounded at 7:00 p.m. sharp. At the tone, the hallways cleared, the classrooms filled and Open House had begun.

Parents received last minute schedule changes and information during homeroom and proceeded to the classes their children face during the school day. Getting acquainted with new teachers, discovering the year's academic profile, and posing questions of their own, parents learned the ways and means of the school. Furthermore, they received first hand knowledge of each class's progress and were instructed in ways their child could benefit from outside help.

However, parents were not the only individuals who

benefited. Many teachers expressed delight when speaking of the evening's events. As history teacher Dan Hill explained, "The opportunity to meet parents enables us to gain a better understanding of each student. Concerned parents usually impress the teacher and as a result the teacher takes a greater interest in that student."

Besides classroom acquaintances, parents mingled with each other, with administrators, and students who were present to help during the evening. Refreshments were served, clubs provided information of their events, and the orchestra played for their entertainment. As parents departed, faint smiles appeared on their faces as they thought of the many opportunities Niles West provides.

Parveen Najiullah

Open House gives parents the opportunity to meet those adults who are a major influence in their children's lives. Athletic director Gerald Turry finds time to socialize with parents and discuss what the school is all about.



In awe of the new technology available to their children, parents listen attentively as math instructor Don Field discusses the wonders of computers.



Parents get the chance to reminisce about their past high school days and experience the life of today's students as they take a mock exam. The parent at the far end has obviously not heard of the school's new academic honesty policy.



School's not just all math books and biology labs, classes such as wood working and autos play a vital role in many students' school lives.



It's fiesta time! Senior Mike Bartholomew wears a sombrero to capture the feeling of the song "La Bamba". The band plays a significant role throughout the Homecoming celebrations.

A Spectacular Surprise

They passed go, collected \$200.00, got out of jail and went directly to the gymnasium for the spectacular Homecoming Pep Assembly provided through the hard work and creativity of Student Union.

After honoring the girls' soccer teams and boy's soccer teams, Union President Mindy Grossberg and Vice-President, Nancy Penn described the weeks activities from Mondays' "Jello Suck Up" contest to Fridays' "Kentucky Derby" in the cafeteria.

Mrs. Horwitz stepped to the microphone to announce the "Court" who surprised and entertained the audience. Mr. Fontana dressed up as one of the "Cool guys" with his sun glasses and

leather coat and Miss Perez portrayed the cute cheerleader with a squeaky voice and short skirt, while Mrs. Chausow amazed everyone with her baton twirling skills. Mr. Geis quizzed each couple about their talents, how they met and their favorite subjects. Responses such as Mr. Fontana's "Da Uh Dah" won the crowds approval in the form of applause and comments. Other teachers who participated included Mr. Ed Murphy, Mrs. Oldham and Mr. Brennan.

After the assembly, passing go, collecting their money and skipping jail- the Niles West Students enthusiastically awaited a week of spirit and entertainment.

Mindy Grossberg



During the Homecoming pep assembly, pommers perform their routine to perfection. The smoke-filled room adds a slightly different touch to the festive event.



The Niles West Indians attempt to roll the Waukegan West Raiders off the board at the Homecoming '88 football game. The game is the focal point of all Homecoming festivities.

Varsity cheerleaders Danielle Chams and Linda Theotokatos cheer on the Indians during the Homecoming game. The cheerleaders promote the spirit of the crowds during games and assemblies.



With flowers, crowns, and microphone ready, Dr. Ring and juniors Yvonne Barazi and Karin Much prepare for the announcement of the Homecoming King and Queen. The winners are announced during half time of the Homecoming football game.



The **Koren Club** float stands tall and proud in the Homecoming Parade. It is only one among many such floats made by various clubs and organizations, whose hard work makes the procession a success.



Much hard work goes into the preparation for Homecoming week. This includes decorating the halls with theme oriented signs and posters, as this student demonstrates.





Roll
of the
Board



"If you can't fit in the car, why not the trunk?" was Korean club members' philosophy. It's this type of enthusiastic participation that makes the parade a success.



Senior Hilary Kaden attempts to unscoop globs of peanut butter during Homecoming week. Everyday, something new is available for interested students.

"Just don't sneeze!" someone yells, as seniors Scott Moreth, Mark Adriani, and Henry Rodriguez participate in building a peanut butter house. This was only one of many fun activities planned for Homecoming week.

Student Union Monopolizes Homecoming Week

After weeks of preparation and frustration, Student Union unveiled the 1988 Monopoly Homecoming that provided a fun-filled week for all.

Each class dressed in different colors for the pep assembly that aroused everyone's spirit for the opening of the Homecoming week. On the second day most students dressed as construction workers, on the third day they wore toga's, and on the fourth day they donned police and prisoner garb. For the final day, the students dressed in the traditional RED AND WHITE. Activities such as jello suck-up, and graham cracker and peanut butter building kept students busy in the cafeteria throughout the week. To commemorate the event, clubs sold buttons, T-shirts, keychains and bids which allowed students to take "A

Stroll on the Boardwalk".

Members of sport's teams and clubs decorated vehicles according to the Monopoly property assigned for the NiWeHi Express that traveled throughout the neighborhood after early dismissal on Friday. That same night after the Indians attempted to "Roll the Raiders off the Board," students celebrated Homecoming by dancing the night away at the "Jail House Rock."

On Saturday each couple had the chance to stroll on the Boardwalk and honor the newly elected queen Senada Arabelovic and king Calvin Ramseyer.

Throughout the activity-filled week, students made sure they didn't "go directly to jail" and lose their chance to collect the fun and excitement of a Monopoly Homecoming.

Donna Peterson

The dance floor is filled with happy couples who take the opportunity to ask the girl or guy of their choice to the event. After the dance, couples go their separate ways; some going downtown for dinner and perhaps a carriage ride.



Leaning towards her date, junior Anne Pullano fixes his boutonniere. The semi-formal Homecoming dance gives students a chance to dress up with a special friend and dance the night away.

Boogie On The Boardwalk

At last, the moment had arrived! Five days of festive events and activities came to an end, but the grandest of them all was yet to come. Student Union now concerned themselves with scattering the final touches of balloons and streamers throughout the gym. However, last minute dinner and limousine reservations, along with trips to local floral shops for corsages and boutonnieres, kept the majority of students busy. On this long-awaited evening, Saturday, October 29, cameras flashed continuously as couples prepared to take "A Stroll on the Boardwalk".

An inexhaustible line of cars and limosines packed the lot as the dance began at 8:00 p.m. Inside, couples enjoyed the slow, as well as upbeat songs of "Betty Betty Betty". Couples looked on as King Calvin Ramseyer and Queen Seneda Arabelovic swayed to the first tune of the evening. Finally, the

dance floor was open for all, and couples piled on quickly. At the far end of the room, students paired off with their dates to have their photograph taken as a memorable reminder of that special evening. Refreshments and various hors d'oeuvres entertained others as they snacked and chatted.

As the clock struck 11:00 p.m., the sound of rock and roll began to fade away, bringing an unforgettable Homecoming to an end. However, for most couples, the night was not over just yet. Still more celebration was anticipated as plans for dinner, carriage rides, parties, or a night in downtown Chicago came into action. Whatever the remainder of the evening might have been, this grand event became a highlight of the year. Now, it brings back reminiscences of a wonderful time — as couples took "A Stroll on the Boardwalk".

Estelle Nikolakakis



Obviously happy to see each other, the two couples meet on the dance floor. Many students socialize not only at the dance, but after as well.



Seniors Anne Humphrey and Joe Chung converse with a friend at the Homecoming dance. It is an opportunity for students to socialize with each other in a more formal atmosphere.



Listening to the sounds of Betty, Betty, Betty, senior Tom Chung dances the night away with his date at the Homecoming dance. All the couples enjoyed a night of socializing, dancing, and excitement.

After "Taking a stroll on the Boardwalk", the King, Calvin Ramseyer, and Queen, Senada Arabelovic, have their Royal Dance. The couple enjoys their night of royalty as classmates look on with smiles.



Taking a break from the evening's dancing, seniors Jim Valavanis, Lori Clark, Sandi Jaggi, and Mike Spiropoulos enjoy the festive atmosphere for the dance. Seniors also reflect upon their last high school Homecoming experience.



Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No, it's Mighty Mouse and his double! Halloween is the one day of the year these characters can pay Niles West a visit.

Is that a visitor from another planet? Of course not, it's Senior Tecla Annes, all decked out in her Halloween costume.



No! Don't strangle her! It's a good thing this monster is seen in the cafeteria only once a year.



Harlequins aren't only on the covers of romance novels. This one visits Niles West especially to celebrate Halloween.



It just goes to show, you're only as old as you feel. Regardless of age, senior Tammy Robertson will always be young at heart.

'Tis The Season To Be Scary

Ghastly faces, ghoulish images, and slimy creatures create a feeling of eeriness on Halloween. Specters and goblins emerge from hibernation to haunt and frighten unsuspecting victims. Masked faces of hideousness lurk throughout the halls of Niles West.

Many students choose to participate in the Halloween rituals by dressing in costumes and exhibiting a sense of creativity. It is the one day of the year when students can design and become a new identity. Costumes of all sorts roam the building,

ranging from fiendish monsters, to angelic cherubs. Such diversity adds to the festive, fun spirit of Halloween. As freshman Stanley Matz says, "Halloween adds a touch of spark to my day, and breaks the monotony of the regular class schedule."

Thus, Halloween is not only a time for costumes and role changes, it is also a time for fun and excitement. But beware the monsters that may lurk throughout the haunted halls of Niles West.

Christina Gabriel



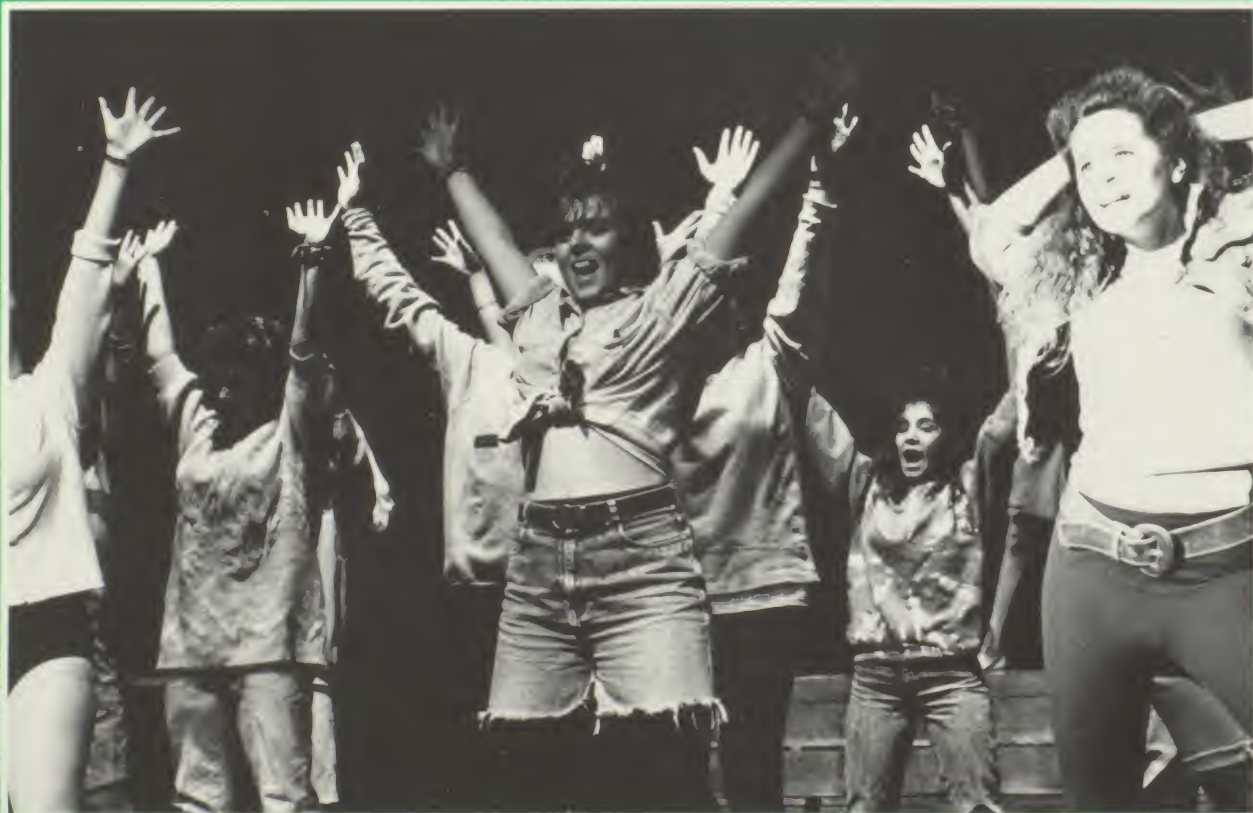
Incorporating all aspects of theater- dance, drama, and music - the student production of "Fame" starts off the year with a bang. Senior Ryoko Yamaguchi demonstrates her dancing ability as she "wows" the audience.



Leading actress Katherine Ripley tries to convince Peter Hepner to share his creative talent. The different roles and characters made the production more a great success.



Jennifer Collins ends her performance in a final pose as junior Tirso Olivares looks on. Dancing was a major portion of the student produced production.



"Fame" screams the cast enthusiastically, as they entertain the packed auditorium crowd. For many students the show gave the opportunity to show off their talent to their parents and the student body in things other than academics and athletics.



One of the more touching moments in the play is acted out by junior Carl Helwing and senior Maggie Duffie. Together with the cast they brought the words of the script to life.

Jamming to the riveting sound of the Orchestra, the "Fame" performers act their roles as performing arts students. Being a part of a successful show can be one of the most memorable high school experiences.

Fame The Name "FAME"

"I'm gonna live forever, baby remember my name!" These words spelled out the theme of this year's student produced production, "Fame". The show set school records in advance ticket sales, and played to nearly sold out audiences.

Set at the High School for the Performing Arts in New York City, where the chances of being accepted into one of the three departments (dance, drama, or music) are one in fifty-seven, Fame tells the story of a group of teenagers and the four years of their lives spent at the school, from the auditions, to the first day of school, to graduation. Each unique character has his own story, and talent. The cast included Coco Hernandez (Katherine Ripley), a girl who insists that she can do it all, and proves she can; Tony Gillotano (Tirso Olivares), a boy of the streets interested in two things, dancing and women; Montgomery McNeill (Carl Helwing), the son of a famous actress, who is faced with a medical problem that he will face for the rest of his life; Doris Schwartz (Maggie Duffie), whose biggest problem is learning to deal with her own normalcy; Bruno Martelli (Peter Hepner), a musician too shy to let anyone share his music; and Ralph Garcy (Luis Velez), a comic who want to follow in the footsteps of his idol instead of being himself, no matter what the cost. Mrs. Sherwood, the English teacher who keeps everyone in order, except Tony, completes the cast.

"Fame" workers behind the scene include the steering committee consisting of Director May DeLasAlas, Assistant Director Adam Telengater, Vocal Director Kirsten Gieler, Coreographers Kevin Steele and Melinda Hepner, Costumer Rose Olea, Assistant Costumer Rebecca Hansen, Conductors Tecla Annes and Joe Chung, and Script Editor Dave Lieb.

Gwen Costa

NiWeHi students portray life at the School for the Performing Arts. Like schools everywhere, classes can be full of pandemonium and chaos.

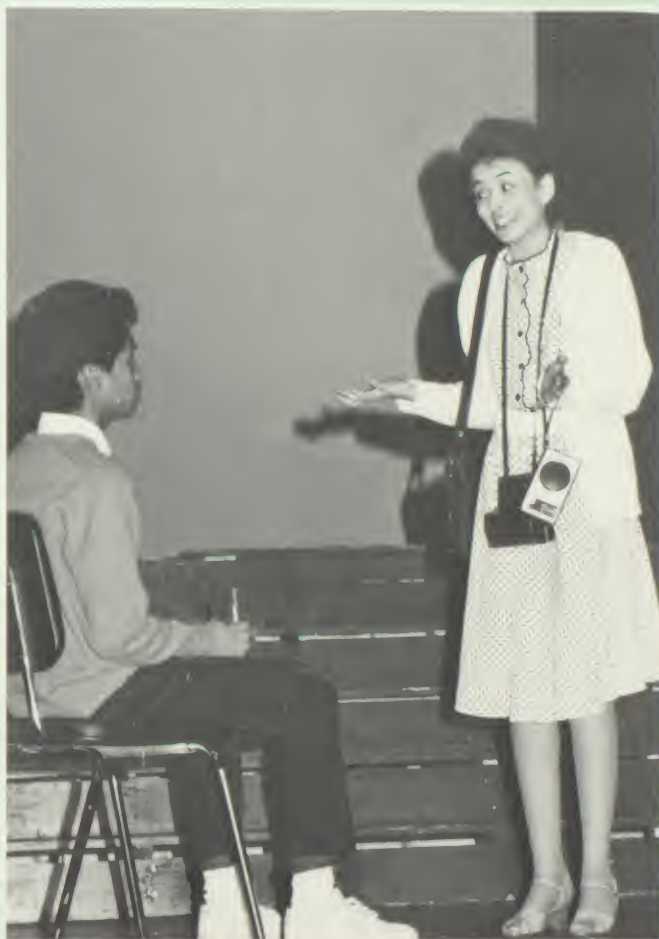


A performance is never complete without the musical accompaniment of the "pit" or orchestra. Lead by seniors Joe Chung and Tecla Annes, the pulsating sounds invigorate the performers and the audition. Members of the pit take a break and find time to appreciate the outcome of their hard work.



Performers congregate on stage to act out their various roles. The diversity of talent, along with the devotion of actors and crew led to the success of the production.





Playing Mrs. Schwartz, junior Jackie Katzman uses her charm to persuade the acting teacher, senior Joe Delfin, who listens intently. The production was filled with many interesting characters.

As the old cliché goes, "practice makes perfect." The cast of "Fame" prepares to show off their stuff with excitement and enthusiasm.



NHS Members Honored

In the past, when spirit, pride, practice, and talent were combined, the result was recognized as an athletic success, and the champion Niles West sports team would be rooted on by the rest of the student body at a pep assembly. In October, a new type of pep assembly was established to root on and inspire a different breed of hard-working students — scholars. The members of the National Honor Society were inducted formally, gowns, candles, and all, in the auditorium in front of the entire student body, the first time such a celebration was held. Some 70 students in their white gowns repeated the oath recited by NHS

president Suzanne Ahn, pledging to continue to pursue actively community and extra-curricular activities, while maintaining a high level of academic performance.

A second purpose for holding an in-school induction ceremony was to inspire excitement for the ideals of NHS, especially aimed at the freshmen and sophomores who have more time to improve their grades and participate in activities. Like a hard earned trophy after a successful season, NHS members were given a certificate and an NHS pin, to reward their hard work and perserverance.

Nikoletta Antonakos



All the hard work has finally paid off for senior Miki Vucic. The induction ceremony is an annual event held by the Honor Society.



Reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, NHS officer James Lee and Principal Dr. Ring stand in respect. It was the first time the induction was held before the entire student body.



Glad to sing at any given time, the Expressions choir performs for the induction ceremony for NHS. They can be seen at many concerts throughout the year.



Assistant superintendent Dr. Carolyn Anderson leads the procession of NHS members down the aisle.

Orchestra conductor Ted Kaitchuck leads the musicians in their performance. The orchestra played a vital role during the NHS induction ceremony.



Charity Begins At Sheridan.

In the spirit of the holiday season, Senior Cabinet gave their annual Christmas party for less fortunate children at a day care center. The party took place at the Sheridan Day Care Center, a part of the Jane Addams Center in Chicago where most of the kids are poor and Spanish speaking.

All of Senior Cabinet and 40 three and four year olds were present. The cabinet bought each child a gift and the party included games and prizes. The kids wore name tags and were also treated with cookies and apple juice. Even Santa Claus showed up to join in on the festivities. Senior Eric Orsic dressed up as Santa and asked all the kids if they've been good and what they wanted for Christmas. "It went real well. The best thing about it was when Eric came out as Santa Claus,"

said Cabinet President Rich Dubin, "The kids' mouths dropped. It was such a delight to see them; they were so excited."

The group of seniors, led by sponsor Sherri Owens left school at 1:40 in the afternoon to transport all the supplies to the center. The party started with different games like Pin the Nose on Rudolph, Santa's Buckets and Rudolph, Rudolph, Santa. The children also sang Christmas carols in Spanish and English. Senior Mindy Grossberg then read them a story. At the end of the party Santa showed up. The celebration lasted two hours. Cabinet treasurer Scott Toban concluded, "It was the most fun they've had in a real long time. They were practically crying when we had to go."

Elliott Malkin



Senior Cabinet entertains the kids at the Sheridan Day Care Center. The cabinet makes this visit a priority every Christmas season.



"You mean there really is a Santa Claus?" an amazed boy asks cabinet member Richard Dubin. Senior Cabinet gave all the children a little joy by visiting them during the holiday season.



HO! HO! HO! With a sack of presents slung over his shoulder, senior Eric Orsic, posing as Santa Claus, hands the presents out to kids. This trip brightened Christmas for many children.



"Come on, aim for bucket number six," senior Lisa Schapira tells her new friend. Bozo buckets proved to be the most popular game during the Christmas party.

Showing maternal instincts, senior Genevieve Rio entertains her new friend. The cabinet members played games and read stories to the children.





The Senior Cabinet's holiday trip to the Sheridan Day Care Center left many children smiling. Here, a young child gleefully accepts a present from Santa Claus.

Taking a break from all the excitement, one of the kids hungrily munches away. Senior Cabinet offered snacks, various games, and many gifts during their festive visit.

Around The World At West

Fröhliche Weihnachten, Joyeux Noel, Feliz Navidad, Merry Christmas! Different cultures have their own ways of celebrating the holidays. The foreign language department sponsored an ethnic evening to unite the various backgrounds in celebrating the festivities of the season.

The International Relations Council, under the guidance of Ed Murphy and Elizabeth Perez, organized an exciting evening of dancing and singing, along with karate and a fashion show, as well. The cafeteria was adorned with the flags of foreign countries and filled with an abundance of food, including egg rolls, fried rice, lasagna, and baklava. The ambiance included the sights

and sounds of Europe, the western world, and the Orient. The groups in attendance were the Korean, Chinese, Filipino, Hellenic, Spanish, German, and French clubs. The performances opened with a graceful fan dance performed by the Korean club and progressed with Spanish, Greek, and Filipino festive dances. The French club participated by holding a chic fashion show displaying the top European fashions. The evening ended appropriately with the singing of German Christmas carols. 'Tis the season to join together, and for one night the cultures of the world united for a spectacular display.

Christina Gabriel



The Korean club displays their vocal skills by singing a Korean Christmas carol. The organization participated in karate as well as singing.



Dancing to the beat, The Hellenic club members perform their Grecian dance. The holiday festival was a great opportunity to experience all the different nationalities.



Trying to decide which dish to try next, Mr. Beaver indulges in the various ethnic foods available at the holiday festival. It was a night for many cultures to come together for a special celebration.



Holding the piñata, junior Tirso Olivares awaits for the candy to fall. This was only one of the many attractions during the holiday festival.



The Filipino club prepares for their upcoming presentation. Many clubs danced and sang to the music of their nationality.



Demonstrating the Korean style of karate, junior Gin Kim, and seniors Johnny Kim and Jaywoo Jeong exhibit their art with enthusiasm. Many clubs take part in a banquet to celebrate their achievements through the year.

Pleading on his knees, senior Carl Helwing as Leilio, sings to freshman Toulia Virvilos as Isabelle. Children from nearby grammar schools attended the performance of "Androcles and the Lion."



Masking their faces and concealing their true identities enable the audience to become fully absorbed in the actors' performance. The production for Children's Theatre, "Androcles and the Lion", entertained all who attended.

Another Success!

For over ten years, theater department students have been performing classic fairy tales through The Children's Theater. Staff and students direct and perform different plays every year. In past years students performed "Hansel and Gretel" and "The Pied Piper". "Androcles and the Lion", this year's play tells a story of a man, Androcles, who pulls a thorn out of a Lion's foot. Children who attended enjoyed the play so much, they wrote letters of thanks to the cast.

Cindy Philbin, director of "Androcles and the Lion",

reported proudly that over 3000 kids came to watch these productions. The age of the audience ranges anywhere from kindergarten to fifth grade, and children from 50-60 different schools in Chicago and its' suburbs attend. "The plays have improved dramatically in the past ten years", exclaimed Philbin, "and I'm confident they will keep getting better." Even with a small cast, the Children's Theater has succeeded, and probably will continue to entertain kids of all ages in years to come.

Mia Adler



Clowning around before the Children's Theatre production begins, volunteers pass programs out to the audience. Hundreds of children flocked to the auditorium for fun and entertainment.



The Children's Theatre performance of "Androcles and the Lion" amused many children. Seniors Dave Lieb as Pantalone and Yuri Keegstra as the Captain search for Isabella and Leilio.



Theatre can take a lot out of a person. Nobody knows that better than junior Adam Telengater who catches a few seconds of rest and relaxation-or is he acting?



Displaying his theatrical talents, Carl Helwing, playing Leilio, reacts to a message delivered by Androcles, played by Louie Valez. The annual production is a highlight of the year for many children.



Spreading a little holiday cheer, chorus members Elizabeth Remillard and Gwen Costa stand in preparation, awaiting their cue. The concert gave students a feeling of holiday spirit and gaiety.



"And a partridge in a pear tree . . ." Senior Fritzie Repique rises to new heights during the holiday assembly. Much rehearsal was needed to perfect this routine.

Happy Holidays!

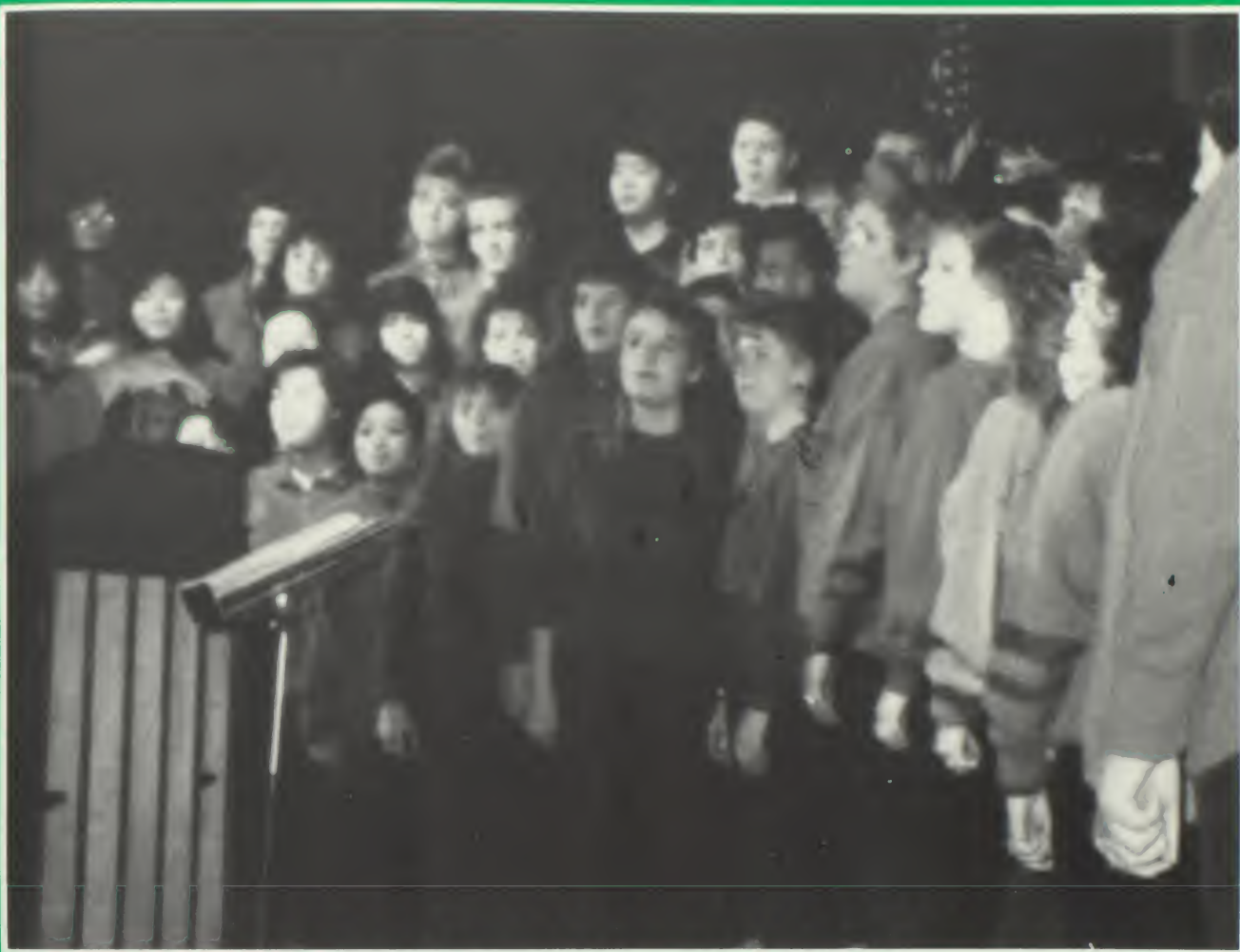
Festivity and goodwill encompassed the atmosphere on this glorious day. The holidays, just around the corner, brought a smile to everyone's face and put all in a merry mood. To celebrate this auspicious occasion the Band, Orchestra, and Expressions joined forces to entertain faculty and students in an all school assembly. The sweet sounds of the flute and violin as they played classics such as Silent Night and Jingle Bells struck at the heart strings of old and young alike. Thoughts of past holiday seasons were

reminisced upon and visions of what is to come came eagerly to mind. But what does the holiday season really mean? It is a time of giving, receiving, and sharing with those less fortunate; a time to forget past grudges and rekindle old friendships. It is a time for families to recall old traditions and to start new ones; but most importantly a time for peace and happiness for all mankind. This musical assembly aided in starting off everyone's holiday vacation on the right foot.

Ali Kwon



The best "three French hens" Niles West has ever seen, Seniors Julie Wiltgen, Melinda Hepner, and Beth Lichtenstein enthusiastically perform their roles. During the holiday assembly, Expressions exhibited their talent and expertise.



Teachers and administrators sang away at the holiday concert. The assembly also consisted of musical and choral performances.

The holiday assembly featured a combination of the girls' ensemble, concert choir, and Expressions. The groups performed under the direction of Sheri Owens.



A star is born! No, it's just a baby making a grand appearance during the Expressions' performance of the "Twelve Days of Christmas". The orchestra and band participated in the assembly as well.

As part of the exchange program, students were able to visit the Olympic Stadium located in East Berlin. Other sites the students visited were the Berlin Wall, the Rhine River, and a medieval castle.



After three weeks of fun-filled excitement while touring Germany, it's time to go home. Exchange student Ann Fischer has the company of her host while waiting to return to Chicago.





A highlight of Brian Hansen's trip was a tour of a local brewery. There is no drinking age in Germany, thus all students were able to sample the product.

Adventuresome German Exchange Program

People who enjoy European travel, and meeting new friends may find the German exchange program, with Gymnasium Isernhagen, the experience of a lifetime. For the past five years students have participated in this successful exchange program which promotes international understanding by providing opportunities to learn about and appreciate other cultures and to participate in a meaningful educational experience. Surprisingly strong friendships between people from different ends of the world can grow in a short

time. Although students spend the majority of their time in Isernhagen, a beautiful suburb of Hanover, they also visit the Berlin Wall, a concentration camp, and various cities located throughout West and East Germany. Attending a German school allows students to gain a better understanding of the German educational system. This exchange program has given students cultural and historical experiences that will stay with them forever.

**Cari Miller
Brian Hansen**



Germany is among the exchange programs offered at Niles West. As part of the tour students viewed the west side of the Berlin Wall which inspired thoughts of freedom in everyone.

Introducing the speaker, Arnold Agnos speaks highly of Russ Ewing's accomplishments. Agnos founded the Speaker of the Month program which brings prominent people to the school.

Russ Ewing spoke at an all-school assembly in honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. His words of wisdom and life experiences truly touched West students and faculty.



Helping to bring about the assembly, Principal Donald Ring speaks a few words. In honor of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, guest speaker Russ Ewing spoke a few words of encouragement.



His Truth Is Still Marching On . . .

The uproar in the auditorium quelled, and as the lights dimmed, a spotlight followed a man of great stature as he ascended the steps to the stage. In introducing him, Arnold Agnos expressed the respect the speaker had earned for his truthful, concise reporting. When the speaker took his place at the podium, the auditorium filled with applause for the ABC news reporter, Russ Ewing.

The assembly was a special program designed to commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. at the time of the observation of his 60th birthday. Russ Ewing had not only lived during the moment that began in the early fifties, but he was affected tremendously by it and by the life and pursuits of Dr. King. Though Mr. Ewing did not speak directly about King's life, he described his own life's experiences. Through such tales, Ewing not only captured the audience's attention, but also related

Martin Luther King's influences on his life.

Russ Ewing worked hard over the years to attain his position, and relied very much upon himself to succeed, using his natural ability and desire to help people and report honest news. His valiant efforts to coax would-be suicide victims and the crime suspects to listen to his advice, impressed upon the audience his sense of humanity and sympathy for living things, two traits which reflect Dr. King's influence on Ewing's life.

The most dominant characteristic Russ Ewing impressed upon the audience came in the form of his civility and patience in an appeal to the students. Ewing rightfully boasted that had never smoked, drunk alcohol, or experimented with drugs, and challenged the audience to be patient and seek "natural" highs, though he gave an example of a material high which some observers

did not agree with. Senior Frank Kim observed, "It was more like a sermon because it fired me up." Though most people believed Ewing did not adequately discuss King's life, they enjoyed the assembly; Jason Burk went so far as to say that he hadn't seen a better assembly in his four years at West, especially because of the way Ewing was able to handle the tough Niles West crowd.

Perhaps that is the greatest influence Dr. King had on Ewing's life, his moving speeches. Ewing's tales were not of the horrors of a movement, but rather the result of his heeding the consequences of such horrors and doing everything possible to keep himself and others out of those situations. Russ Ewing is a strong, sensitive human being, one of many affected by the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Nikoletta Antonakos



When speaking in memory of Martin Luther King, Jr., WLS TV's Russ Ewing captivates the student body. Ewing's touching experiences kept everyone silent with interest.



Posing a question to Russ Ewing, junior Leyla Arsan inquires on pertinent issues. Ewing was warmly welcomed at the assembly.



Singing the night away, freshman Stacey Stathers performs for her fellow classmates. Each year students from all class levels entertain their friends with tunes from the 60's, 70's, and 80's.

"Getting down" during the Lip-Sync contest, seniors Lori Clark and Sandy Jaggi enjoy their center stage position. Students compete for prize money while mouthing the words to their favorite songs.



Belting out a funky tune, senior Lori Clark dances across the stage. The Lip-Sync contest provides entertainment for all in attendance.



Singing their hearts out, seniors Linda Theotokatos, Lisa Shapiro, and Maria Malone exhibit their talents. The Lip-Sync contest is organized by the sophomore cabinet.



Dressed for the event, Angie Kanellakis and Laura Levin strut their stuff at the Lip-Sync contest. Large crowds gathered in the auditorium for the event.

Think back to 7:30 PM on Saturday night in January. The crowd chattered noisily while impatiently waiting for the action to begin. Suddenly, the lights went out and the crowd screamed as James Puff, chief of security, walked out on stage to announce the beginning of the Third Annual Lip Sync contest.

Puff credited sophomores Shelly Gelber and Elliott Malkin with the planning of the contest. He then introduced juniors Jana Marinakis and Lori Utanoff as the evening's hostesses.

Many people possess the talent to lip sync, however, it rarely surfaces in most. People tend to jump up and lip sync while alone watching M-TV or possibly with a small group of friends. Only the brave dare to venture out on stage to perform for an audience, singing and dancing to the tune of a favorite song.

The contest consisted of 11 acts, which ranged from solo to eight members. Although the top five acts were recognized, groups vied for the top three spots - and a \$25, \$50 or \$100 prize which accompanied them. Judges based decisions on originality, appearance and lip syncing.

The winning act, "Newest Edition," consisted of five students dressed in matching white and black outfits lip syncing a song by New Edition. A dance to Janet Jackson's "Control" captured second place and three girls dancing the Cha-Cha

came in third.

The audience clearly favored the "Dregs of Humanity," a group of seniors impersonating the Jimi Hendrix band. Although they did not place, they kept the audience captivated with their act which featured an exploding guitar and a staged fight. "It took us two or three hours to finalize the act," commented group member Sebough Gueyikian. "Originally it was quite offensive." The Blues Brothers also won over the audience. This group of sophomores danced around the stage of a medley of tunes.

Other acts included the "Time Warp" dance from "Rocky Horror Picture Show," the "Fabulous Fitness" dancing to a popular rock song and the "Rocking Rappers" who incorporated rap, heavy metal and new wave music into one mix.

The last act, "The Minorities," consisted of several seniors who began in Mister Roger's Neighborhood and moved to East L.A. before returning to fairy-tale land with Pee-Wee Herman. Group member Rick Noda explained, "We were sitting and trying to think of an idea while watching Mister Rogers and thought it would be a good idea. I had just seen the movie "Born in East L.A." and liked the song so we added that in. Our act was mainly a collaboration of songs that we thought would fit well together."

Nicole Price

Pasta And Pops - A Crowd Pleaser

After months of learning notes and weeks of rehearsals, the Music Department finally gave their dinner concert in the gym. Pasta and Pops, given annually, features good food and great entertainment. Mrs. Fern Katz, dinner chairperson, organized the entire event.

While the audience enjoyed their pasta, the Music Department gave their performance. "Les Miserables", "Carmen", "Hernando's Hideaway", and "Mack the Knife" were just a few of the many songs performed at this event. The dinner also included pastries for dessert, brought by the members of the various musical groups.

Pasta and Pops featured

the Jazz Band, Marching Percussion Ensemble, Orchestra, and the Choral Department. The Symphonic Band, Concert Band, and Color Guard also performed at the concert.

"It was different because it gave the parents a dinner atmosphere so they didn't have to just sit and listen," stated sophomore Jasmin Belic, a member of the orchestra. She further explained that many people enjoyed Pasta and Pops. Mary Liu, a member of the Concert Choir, commented, "People really enjoyed it because the food and music were really good."

Debbie Kang



Tickling the Ivories, senior Tecla Annes lets her fingers do the walking as she accompanies the orchestra. The band and choral group participated as well in the concert.



President of the band, senior Joe Chung performs with other band members during the Pasta and Pops concert. As the president, he must work extra hard to make the performances successful.



The choral department exhibits its talent as the members sing "Yesterday" by the Beatles. Mrs. Fern Katz, dinner chairperson, organized the Pasta and Pops event.



Performing at the Pasta and Pops concert, the orchestra played a medley of tunes. Directed by Ted Kaitchuck, the orchestra practiced until perfection was reached.

Band director William Koch guides the musicians during the concert. It was a time for everyone to gather and enjoy the music while feasting on pasta.



Da Dum, Da Dum! The drumline solemnly beat their drums at the Pasta and Pops concert. Band director William Koch sponsors the drumline, as well.

Calling All Sweet Toothy

As judges scrounged up the final bits and pieces of pie samplings, nervous participants awaited the final decision. Reporters from school and local papers snapped photos, asked questions, jotted notes, and took a whiff at the fresh, sweet scent which filled the cafeteria. The annual Cherry Pie Contest provided competition, as well as entertainment for all involved.

Beginning early in the day, partners met in the Home Ec. wing to begin the first step in the lengthy process. Fillings were prepared before students proceeded to the cafeteria, where crusts and

decorations were created. Original decorations displayed a variety of personalities among partners. After baking, the taste test began. Judges indulged in eight slices apiece, evaluating each on taste, texture, and overall appearance.

A junior/senior team consisting of Dana Mohrlein and Estelle Nikolakakis won first place in the competition receiving a plaque and cookbook. The Cherry Pie Contest has become an annual event at Niles West, and is greatly anticipated by Home Ec. students every year.

Shanin Zarate



Seriously contemplating his decision, security guard Steve Ramseyer decides to double check his results. Ramseyer is known throughout the halls of Niles West as the connoisseur of cherry pies.



Showing that a principal's work is never done, Dr. Ring thoughtfully takes a sample of cherry pie. Staff members were eager to serve as judges in the cherry pie contest.



Proving the theory that a man's place is in the kitchen, junior Rodney Pintang strives to achieve his masterpiece. At the outcome of the contest, Rodney was awarded the second place prize.



Beaming with pride at their accomplishments, senior Estelle Nikolakakis and junior Dana Mohrlein take time out to pose with superintendent John Hinck. Those that were successful in the cherry pie contest found that all their home economics classes paid off.



Rolling and kneading their dough, seniors Karian Takehara and Michelle Beller carefully practice the skills they learned in foods. Special technique must be executed to achieve the ultimate cherry pie.



Getting ready for the big dance, Kinickie, played by senior Kevin Steele, gets down on his knees and sings to the theme of "Sok Hop Baby!" The Grease production, performed in early March, let students show off their acting abilities to classmates and parents.



"You're disgusting!" shouts Patty Simcocks, or rather senior Mindy Grossberg, to the rebel Sonny, senior Carl Helwing, as he teases her. The two bicker throughout the play but enjoy the fun as well.



At the top of the heap, junior Tirso Olivares, playing the part of Kinickie, sings along with fellow greasers to the "Grease Lightning" car song. The performance of Grease drew much attention to the Niles West theater department.

Playing the part of Teen Angel, senior Bill DeAcetis, surrounded by beauty school drop-out girls, convinces Frenchy to go back to high school. The Grease production evolves around high school life in the 50's.



Thespians Perform — Slick Production Of "Grease" |



Dancing the night away, senior Rachel Posner and junior Tirso Olivares play the parts of Cha-Cha and Kinickie in the "Moonlight in the Tropics" dance. The couple dazzled the audience with sleek moves and the final performance of the tango.



Reminiscing about those fun-filled "summer days" Melinda Hepner, portraying Sandy in "Grease", sings of her dreamy summer spent with Danny. Much hard work and sweat were necessary to make the production a success.

'57 Chevy's, girls in bobby socks, and guys in leather jackets. No, poodle skirts are not coming back, they're just being relived in the theater departments version of "Grease."

From Wednesday, March 1 to Saturday, March 4 the cast displayed their talents by performing on a stage bedecked with photographs of 50's pop stars including Elvis Presley, Buddy Holly, and Marilyn Monroe. But, it wasn't just the awesome scenery that captivated the audience. The excellent performances of the actors brought them several rounds of applause.

The show opens with the stars Danny (Tim Queen) and Sandy (Melinda Hepner) reminiscing about their past summer together in the song, "Summer Nights." As the play continues Danny and Sandy's relationship dwindles as he goes to prom with another girl and she sits home singing

"It's Raining on Prom Night." Gradually the two realize their differences and work to get back together ending the play on the high note of "We go together."

Because of the talent of so many students, director Robert Johnson decided to provide a double cast for many of the characters. One cast performed on Wednesday and Friday, and the other on Thursday and Saturday. Johnson stated, "Working with a double cast is much more difficult than a single one. It's twice the work, but it gives more people an opportunity to participate. Each performance is different because each person developed his own character for the part."

Grease had one of the biggest advanced sales in the theater history. Both Friday and Saturday nights were almost sold out before the public got a chance to buy them.

Hilary Kaden



Boasting about the beautiful babe he spent his summer with, senior Tim Queen, playing the part of Danny, sings with the Burger Palace boys. New talents were displayed in the theater production of Grease.



Seniors Lisa Schapira and Calvin Ramseyer are all smiles as they share a dance together. Student Union members worked long and hard hours to prepare for this big event.

Couples danced to the music provided by the DJs A to Z. Here, senior Kevin Hansen and junior Lisa Tepper "Fiesta" at the dance.

Taking a moment to pin the corsage onto fellow classmate Rachel Borak, freshman Adam Davis prepares to take his date to the dance floor. Many underclassmen were in attendance at the dance.



PLEEEASE . . . Senior Linda Theotokatos begs for one last dance with her date, Brett Youstra, before departing "La Fiesta" to continue their long and fun filled night ahead.

Enjoying every moment of the night, senior Nancy Penn and her date share a special dance at Turnabout. The gym was turned into a magnificent Mexican ballroom with streamers and decorations adorning the walls.



Senior Elliott Malkin and seniorita Amanda Harris dance the night away. "La Fiesta" was a Mexican celebration enjoyed by all.



Dancin' South Of The Border

Anticipation floated in the air as Turnabout approached. At this particular time of the year, roles changed as ladies took the initiative of making, and paying for, a date. Gentlemen finally experienced the nervous feeling of waiting and wondering if their favorite girls would ask the big question, "Would you like to go to Turnabout?"

Beginning at 8:00 pm on Saturday, March 11, the various tunes of DJs A to Z rocked the crowd. Music ranged from upbeat dance tunes to the sounds of Guns

N'Roses, including several slow songs to make the night complete. Couples anxiously waited in line to have their photograph, a precious keepsake of the event, taken by a professional photographer. Others occupied time by devouring the delicious hors d'oeuvres and beverages available.

Student Union sponsors and takes responsibility for all preparations of this festive event annually. Colorful decorations, such as posters, streamers, and balloons, along with a multitude of sombreros, supported the re-

cent theme, "La Fiesta".

Couples celebrated up until 11:00 pm, when Turnabout came to a roaring end. However, the celebration was not quite complete for most couples. Dinner plans still lay ahead as they rushed off to various restaurants. Here, guys kicked back and relaxed as the girls scrounged up enough money to cover the bill. La Fiesta will long be remembered by those who attended.

Donna Wezio
Estelle Nikolakakis



Before leaving, sophomore Kathy Brangan unpins a souvenir sombrero as a reminder of the special night she enjoyed with her date.

SPORTS





Runner Debbie Pozdol gives it her all as she approaches the finish line. The competition comes close, but is defeated.

Chicago Bears (shə-kä' go bârz) *n* 1. team with all hospital patients 2. escapees from Brookfield Zoo 3. hibernate during play-offs 4. Niles West football player's dream 5. excuse to avoid homework on Monday nights

Chicago Black Hawks (shə-kä' go blak hôks) *n* 1. "cold" steal on ice all season long 2. a slug-fest 3. team that never learned to take-off

Chicago Bulls (shə-kä' go boolz) *n* 1. Air Jordan 2. confused cattle who think they are running in streets of Madrid instead of Chicago Stadium

Chicago Cubs (shə-kä' go kubz) *n* 1. hibernating through season. 2. "underfed bears" given to chasing a ball around 3. a signal for spring time 4. team whose mascot should be "Holy Cow" 5. team whose fans are more faithful than its team members

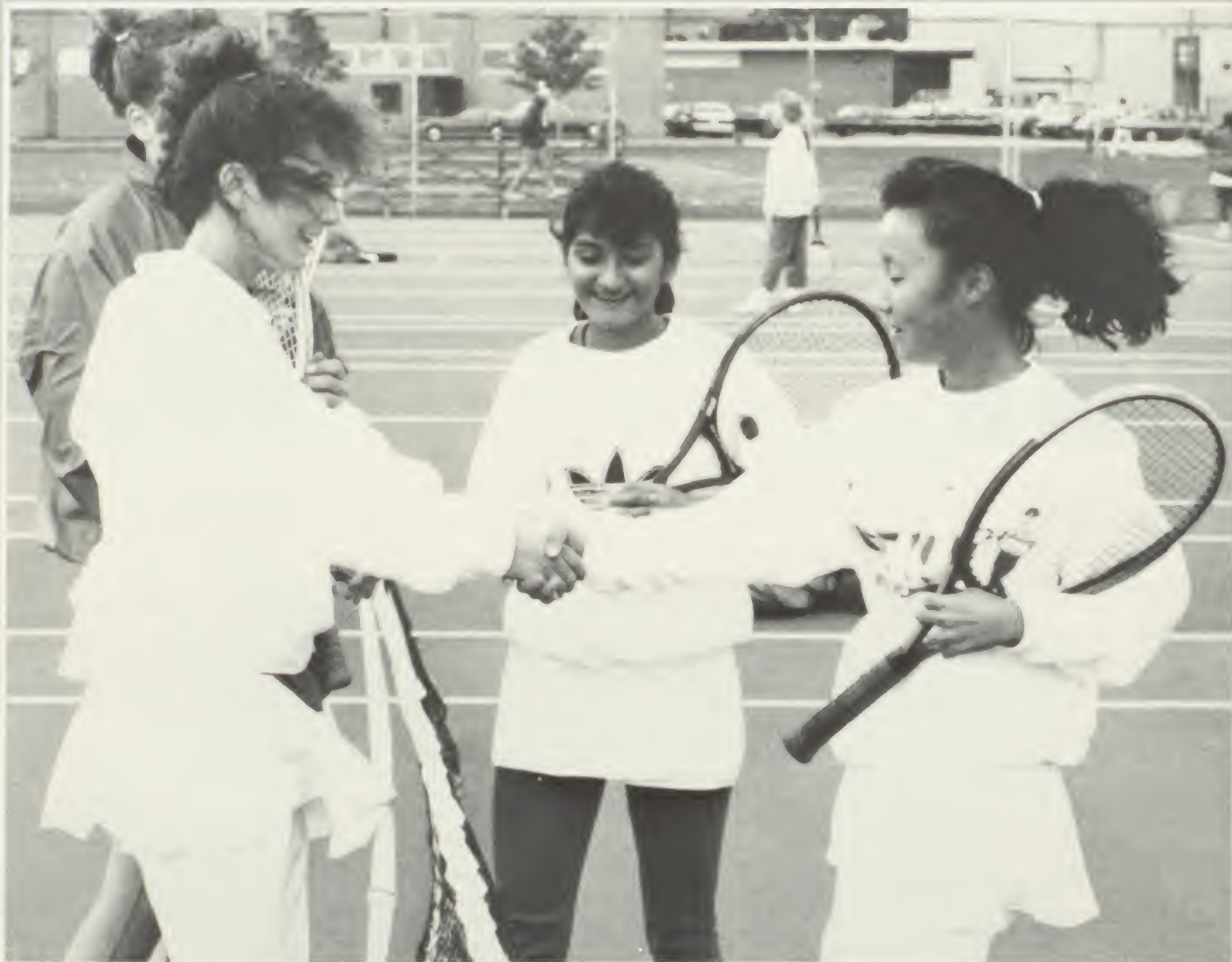
Niles West Indians (nilz west in'di-anz) *n* 1. team with out a mascot 2. players of the 90's that bring hope to these Chicago teams.



Escaping her opponent, senior Sandy Stergios drives to the right. Skill and dedication both result in excellent techniques.



What a save! Eva Incze defends the Indian's goal and prevents points from being scored by their rivals.



Sportsmanship is an important aspect to any sport. Freshmen Laura Jun and Amy McGuire congratulate the efforts of their opponents after a match.

Watch the ball! Yvette Gatilao displays her talent and skill as she prepares for an awesome forehand.

	Niles West	Opp.
Niles North	6	1
Maine East	1	6
Waukegan West	4	3
Good Council	3	2
St. Viator	3	2
Highland Park	0	7
Maine South	0	7
Waukegan East	3	4
Maine West	4	3
Deerfield	0	7





Dedication to a sport often determines the success or failure of a team. Despite the cold weather, Nancy Penn gives it her all.



A variety of techniques must frequently be used to defeat the opponents. These techniques, along with proper form, are taught to players at daily practices.



Front Row: Mara Okmin, Lori Utanoff, Nancy Penn, Yvette Gatilao. Back Row: Gail Chung, Masha Alexander, Coach Farrington, Rosette Cordero, Vickie Karkazis.

Bouncing Back Into A New Season

It was a year of firsts for the girls varsity tennis team. In fact, about the only first they didn't accomplish was finishing first in the Central Suburban League.

This year's squad was the first to compete at the varsity level in five years and they got off to a bang-bang start, beating crosstown rival Niles North 5-2 in their first meet of the season. They maintained a near .500 clip the rest of the way, ending the season at 5-6, fourth in the conference.

The team did not have a set starting lineup but sophomore Yvette Gatilao, senior Nancy Penn, junior Mara Okmin, and freshman Terri Richardson usually played singles. Freshman Vicki Karkazis and Gail Chung, juniors Lori Utanoff and Masha Alexander, and junior Daphne Mazarakis and freshman Rosette Cordero usually manned the three doubles slots.

First year head coach Bob Farrington was happy with the girls' season, commending their attitude and conditioning, and the players were also pleased with their new coach. "I think the fact that he (Farrington) is a professional player really helped the team," said Alexander.

The first season is over but, with the exception of Penn, the entire starting lineup will return next year and their main goal will be to accomplish the one first that eluded this year's team—a first place finish in the conference.

Mikhail Lyubansky

Sectional Success! A Sure Thing

Up five games to four, in the third and final set, with the score against them, love-forty, the members of boys tennis teampower back to score points-15-40, 30-40, deuce- and finally they win the game on a service ace. Such climactic wins spark teams to aggressively compete and assure a winning season.

Unfortunately, the spark did not ignite and explode for the NiWeHi boys tennis team. Though they practiced rigorously, under the eyes of coaches Mitropolis and Galewski, in individual competition, the boys did not fare well, losing most of their matches. But with the experience they gained and the prospect of returning members, the team is prepared to fight back and assure a winning season in the future.

On the bright side, there

was the emergence of the boys doubles team consisting of 1988 graduate Rohit Patel and senior Eric Orsic. With dedication, hard work, poise, and previous experience, the two worked themselves into the sectionals. There the team captured fourth place and received medals for their outstanding accomplishment. Team member Eric Orsic commented on their victory. "The sectionals were the highlight to a season that was overall rather disappointing. Our individual efforts paid off, but the team as a whole next season is looking for more."

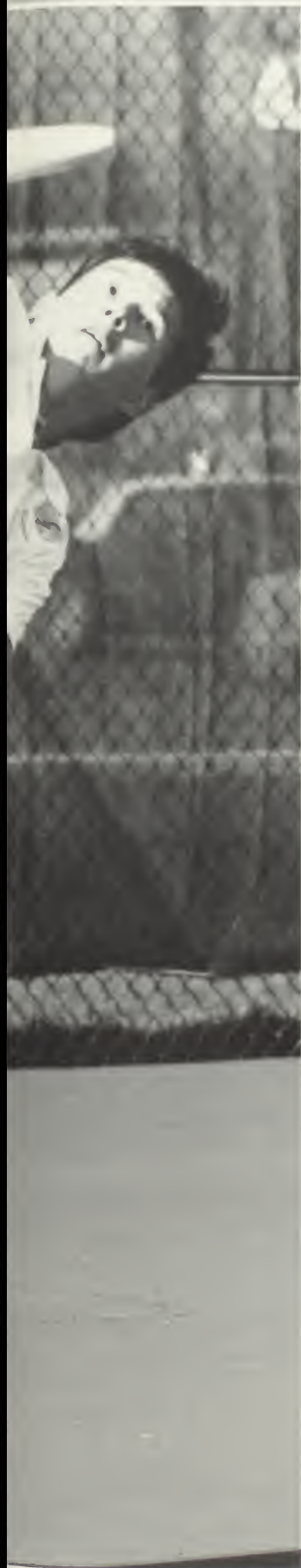
The season winded down with an overall unimpressive record, but each individual learned from their mistakes and gained experience with each ball they hit.

Parveen Najiullah



A powerful backhand stroke by Elliot Richardson demonstrates the results of long hours of practice on form, speed and strength. Tennis is a discipline sport, and the individuals on the team strive to reach peak form to defeat their opponents.





Front Row: Rob Liu, John Liu., Brad Utanoff, Dan Kachenchai, Rohit Patel, Eric Orsic, Marc Fienberg, Jeff Goby. **Back row:** Michael Horwich, Mikhail Lyubansky, Matt Adams, Jason Pollack, Alek Tziortzis, Mike Tipescue, Coach Mitropolis.



Anticipating the return from his opponent, senior Jeff Goby is prepared and light on his feet. To be ready for any return, tennis players have to anticipate the action and concentrate on form.

UMPFH! A powerful serve by senior Dan Kachenchai meets his opponent with an incredible bounce. One of the skills that tennis players master is the use of top-spin to give them an extra edge on their opponents.

	Niles West	Opp.
Main East	1	6
Evanston	0	7
Glenbrook North	0	7
Main South	0	7
Waukegan West	7	0
Glenbrook South INV	7th place	
Waukegan East	4	3
Lake Park INV	8th place	
Main West	0	7
Gorden Tech	1	6

Anticipating their opponents moves, the varsity volleyball team awaits the results of their new strategy. Despite a disappointing season, the returning members are optimistic of a better and brighter future.



Wide eyed Indians strategically prepare to return the ball. All for one and one for all, the team works together for victory.

Spiked Up Courage

The nets were up and volleyballs were being set, spiked and served on a hot, humid, summer day. While some students were still enjoying the last weeks of their summer vacation, others were in the locker rooms and gyms preparing for another season of girls' volleyball.

Determined they united for one goal. They all had the dream to bring a championship to NiWeHi. However, despite rigorous work-outs, they fell far short, ending the season with a record of 1-20.

Senior Beatrise Revelins, however, did not look at the season as a total loss. She commented, "We improved a

lot and individuals came together as the season progressed. We have a strong base for the future."

The team kept on battling until the very end under the leadership of Coach Paula Sfickas. Team member Gaylyn Hortelano accredits Sfickas for her job. "She constantly kept at it and never gave up. She motivated us with her attitude."

As the season winded down, nets were stored, volleyball disappeared, but the memories of a season to build on, remained in the minds of all the returning players.

Parveen Najiullah



Junior Helen Riss leaps into the air to return the ball and score a point for the Indians. The team prepared for their meets under the leadership of Coach Sfickas.

	Niles West	Opp.
Regina	0	2
Glenbrook North	0	2
Highland Park	1	2
Good Council	0	2
Waukegan East	0	2
Maine West	1	2
Waukegan West	0	2
Deerfield	1	2
Highland Park	1	2
Waukegan East	2	2
Maine West	0	2
Waukegan West	1	2
Deerfield	0	2
Maine East	0	2



Front row: Gaylyn Hortelano, Chris Sosnowski. **Second row:** Kim Ramirez, Kristi Lall, Beth Holden, Barb Holden, Doreen Kestler, Donica Weinberg. **Back row:** Coach Sfickas, Kelli Lochner, Sandy Stergios, Beatrise Revelins, Helen Riss.

	Niles West	Opp.
New Trier	15	4
	15	7
Highland Park	15	7
	15	4
New Trier	15	5
	7	15
	15	9
New Trier	15	8
	15	10
Evanston	15	1
	15	5



Jumping high, team members prepare to spike the ball back to the opposing team. The 1988 season marked the beginning of a boy's volleyball team at West.



Team members huddle to discuss a new strategy to defeat their opponents. The team is guided under the leadership of Coach Geis.

Slamming And Spiking Away

During the spring sports season, the volleyball team slammed and spiked their way onto the courts of the main gym, and the players came out the winner for it. After years of debate and discussion on whether or not to have a volleyball team, sponsor and coach Carl Geis received the go-ahead. Junior Tony Liu joined the team first, followed by classmates Eric Biljetina, George Callas, Andy Lundsberg, Owen Masterson, Martin Starey, Jason Szewczyk, and Vince Romano. The team piled up a very impressive season, beating other first year teams such as Glenbrook South, New Trier, Evanston and Lake Forest. The Indians ended the season on a promising note by placing third in the Niles West All-State Tournament, beaten only by Senn and Downers Grove South.

At the end of the season, Coach Geis enthusiastically noted, "We started with a rough beginning, working on passing and serving skills and ended up with a game full of power and finesse. We expect the team to improve greatly over the off season and look forward to a successful eighty nine season."

Andy Lundsberg

Front row: Tony Liu, Owen Masterton, Jay Sheirok, Alan Cruz. **Back row:** Coach Geis, Jason Szewczyk, Martin Stary, Andy Lundsberg, George Callas.



Teamwork is necessary in winning matches. Here, a team member prepares to set the ball for his fellow teammate to spike it over to the opposing team.



During practice, senior Andy Lundsberg serves the volleyball to his teammates. Long hours of practice are necessary for learning the proper techniques.



On Your Mark, Get Set \!!/SPLASH\!!/

After a summer of hot and humid record breaking temperature days where most people spent their time at the lake or a pool, some students still could not resist the temptation of plunging into the depths of water upon returning to school in early September. Such was the case with the girls' swim team who sought to bask in glory as the number one "Splashers" in the area.

Despite a decrease in team members, the squad had high hopes, talent and goals to fulfill. Under the leadership of Coach Jodi Nebbia, the girls set around to accomplish their task. Long hours of practice to perfect the technique of the butterfly, breast stroke, back stroke and freestyle was the first necessary step. After that, team spirit and enthusiasm carried the team. As senior Miki Vucic commented, "Our main goal was to improve our times. Everyone was enthusiastic and sup-

portive of reaching this goal."

In competition, the team had a disappointing season with an overall record of 1-12. However the 200 individual medley relay team consisting of Ayumi Koyama, Miki Vucic, Patty Tzortzis and Ramona Giderof made it to the sectionals where they placed twelfth out of seventeen schools.

After a long hard season, many members spoke positively of the excitement of competition and team spirit. Senior member, Patty Tzortzis summed up the season by commenting, "The season went well considering the few members. Each individual strived for their personal best and cheered and offered encouragement to support fellow members." With the season complete and fond memories stored away, the thoughts of the coach and returning members are upon next season.

Parveen Najiullah



Front row: Tessa Perry, Carolyn Wiltgen, Ayumi Koyama, Miki Vucic, Ilyce Shugall, Ramona Giderof, Marnie Malnekoff. **Second row:** Stephanie Patrian, Britt Painter, Alison Presley, Khristie Pickup, Sarah Nash, Heather Littwin, Niki Gardner, Beth Pedersen. **Third row:** Nicole Price, Marjana Denic, Coach Burkel, Coach Nebbia, Coach Torres, Lori Przybylski, Carrie Laroussa. **Fourth row:** Lupita Alcozer, Charlotte Buchling, Julie Schmitt, Meg Kodie, Patty Tzortzis, Deandra Galarde.



After a strenuous lap, a varsity swim team member catches her breath before another practice lap. Practices after school are necessary to reinforce the technique used for each stroke.



A swim team member strokes perfectly to the finish line. Under the leadership of coach Nebbia, four swimmers competed in the sectionals where they placed twelfth.



Gasping for air, a swim team member competes energetically to place first in the match. Though the team's record was 1-12, they competed enthusiastically until the very last match.



Gaining confidence with each stroke she takes, a varsity swimmer surges forward to complete the race. The freestyle stroke is among four strokes used in high school competition.

	Niles West	Opponent
Stevenson	47	125
Maine South	43	113
Evanston	42	129
Maine East	79	93
St. Viator	79	83
Maine West	70	98
Regina	72	90
Waukegan West	22	54
Deerfield	45	112
Niles North	82	85
Waukegan East	57	18
Zion Benton	66	103
Highland Park	54	103
CSL Diving Meet	2nd & 7th place	
CSL North Division Meet	5th place	
IHSA Sectionals	12th place	

With each stroke he takes, this varsity swimmer comes closer to his goal-the finish line. Long hours of practice are necessary to build up the endurance needed for this sport.



On your mark, get set, GO!!

A varsity swimmer gasps for air during a race. The long hours of work pay off when a NiWeHi student finishes first in competition.



Front row: David Casetta, Alex Milenkov, Mike Haberkorn, John Chon, Flavio Rocha, Brian Kozlowski, Walter Norkin. Second row: Sung Kim, Brian Casetta, Tim Hieber, Alan Wiseman, Ken Smith, Jin Ho, Art Hortua, Ricky Irwin, Matt Hibner, Miguel Rameriz, Paul Rainyn. Third row: Coach Larson, Carlos Casas, Steve Huang, Boris Kogan, Andrew Goldberg, Angelo Georgakis, Mike Smith, Mark Kristoff, Coach Lucas, Coach Stern. Back row: Marc Restrepo, Kevin Kiedaisch, Bryan Mahute, Humberto Hortua, Andy Zoldoszka, Steve Rudin, Brian Hansen, Vince Romano, Travis Shaffer.

Stroking past his opponent, this swimmer completes the last few meters of the competition. Students may compete in the freestyle, back stroke, breast stroke or the butterfly.

	Niles West	Opp
Lane Tech	95	74
St. Patrick Relays	4th place	
Maine South	89	81
Deerfield	69	96
Waukegan West	27	49
Notre Dame	97	64
Waukegan East	84	41

Varsity Swimmers Make Some Waves

Keeping up with the competition, the varsity boys' swim team strives for excellence with each and every stroke.

Team leaders, senior Humberto Hortua, juniors Boris Kogan and Steve Rudin, and sophomore Art Hortua guided the team through many tough meets. According to junior Boris Kogan, "During the season, everybody supported each other and as a result, the performance of the team as a whole was greatly improved."

Unfortunately, the team placed fourth overall in conference, leaving both the coaches and swimmers wishing for better scores. "Although we had a few good swimmers, we didn't really have enough for competi-

tions," explained senior Eric Orsic.

Though losing five seniors this year, the team has many promising individuals to lead them through next season. Returning underclassmen Art Hortua, Steve Rudin, Boris Kogan, and Brian Casetta promise a strong season next year.

In general, the performances of the team members turned out better than expected. The freshmen improved during the course of the season, and the other team members kept on trying to better their times. "This season has been an uphill battle for most of us, but in the end it really was worth it," concluded Kogan.

Karen Popke



Off and running. NiWeHi runners, along with those of six other schools, compete in a local school meet. Hard work and dedication are qualities possessed by all cross country runners.

See How They Run

Although the Girls Cross Country team didn't take the state meet, they did accomplish a great deal. They remain the only team undefeated in school dual meets this season. "It's been wonderful working with this talented group of girls that are striving to reach the same goals," commented coach Judy Sloan.

Coach Sloan and Coach Armour did a splendid job in training. Returning seniors Debbie Pozdol, Halina Orawiec and Peggy Campbell, who served as team captains, provided much encouragement to the other runners in order to work as a team. "Our varsity team has equal ability so we run together and encourage one another," stated Peggy

Campbell. The team has adopted the slogan "Don't worry, be happy." "The friendships I have gained from being part of this team are great," says sophomore Elissa Leboy. If a problem arises, the team members work out their problems together. "We work together like a family," commented Debbie Pozdol.

Achieving excellence in Cross Country takes much time and effort, but it endures as a worthwhile sport. Running provides an excellent way for members to stay fit and feel good about themselves. "Cross Country isn't as difficult as people think. I just hope more people join next year," stated Halina Orawiec.

Jenny Lee



Front row: Debbie Pozdol, Halina Orawiec, Tricia Hoo Chung, Kim Pecs, Lisa Williams, Lisa Azizieh, Aryn Grossman. **Second row:** Elissa LeBoy, Claire Taylor, Stephanie Wishnick, Nina Lewin, Lisa Mittelman, Carol Abraham, Michell Chrastka, **Back row:** Leslie Bach, Anna Diceare, Coach Armour, Coach Sloan, Greta Schuman, Alison Riedel.

	Niles West	Opponent
Hinsdale INV	2nd place	
Deerfield	23	32
Waukegan West	15	30
Zion Benton	15	30
Maine South INV	2nd place	
Evanston	15	45
Glenbrook South	20	35
Maine West	26	29
Glenbrook South INV	2nd place	
Niles North	15	48
Waukegan East	15	50
Indian INV	2nd place	
Highland Park	26	33
Wheeling INV	7th place	
CSL Conference	1st place	
Niles West INV	3rd place	
Regionals	2nd place	
Sectionals	9th place	



Pacing herself, cross country runner Elissa LeBoy aims to complete the race in record breaking time. The team practices regularly under coaches Armour and Sloan to prepare for each meet.



With the first place trophy in hand, the girls' varsity cross country team are all smiles after a remarkable 9-0 record for the season. Unfortunately, the team missed placing into the state regionals by minutes.

Off And Running

Pumping their muscles, overcoming all obstacles, and leaving their opponents in the shadows, the boys cross country team took off for another season.

After long, grueling practices before and during the season, under the guidance of Coaches Savage and Campbell, the team was prepared to unite and perform to the best of their ability. However with the loss of star, senior Martin Bach, to a knee injury, the task seemed more difficult to accomplish. But like all good teams, they held together and proved they were still a force to be reckon' with in their conference.

The team ended the season with a respectable record of 15-6, placing third in conference behind Highland Park and Maine West. Moreover, junior Oscar Palacios and sophomore Brian Moreth were named all-

conference. Palacios placed fourth, while team member Moreth placed eighth in the three mile run. Missing the all-conference team by seconds, senior Ken Smith still proved to be a factor of the team's success.

Senior Martin Bach spoke of the season's outcome and of the bright future that lay ahead. "We could have placed first if more people came out for the team. Next season, with Brian (Moreth) and Oscar (Palacios) returning with more experience the team will have a strong foundation and be more competitive."

With another chapter closed for the boys cross country team, returning team members wait for the beginning of the next chapter, one they hope that will be brighter and lead to a first in their conference.

Parveen Najiullah



Competing with the elite of other schools provides for fiercer competition. With perfect form, Cross Country members are off and running in another meet.

Pacing himself in a race is necessary to achieve a competitive time. Cross Country member Ken Smith gives it that extra touch to complete the last 100 yards.





A NiWeHi runner anticipates his score as he approaches the finish line. Striving for personal goals plays an important part in this sport.



A smile of satisfaction begins to appear on the runner's face as he realizes he has made his goal. Practice makes perfect!

	Niles West	Opponent
Deerfield	23	34
Waukeegan		
West	21	36
Zion Benton	35	24
Maine West	29	26
Glenbrook		
South	40	15
Evanston	36	19
Niles North	30	25
Quigley North	22	34
Hyde Park	27	29
Von Steuben	15	45
Juarez	24	33
Collins	15	50
Niles North	28	28
Holy Trinity	19	38
Quigley North	16	40
St. Benedict	19	39
Waukeegan		
East	18	39
Lake View	16	42
Ridgewood	16	43
Von Steuben	15	45
Latin	17	40
Highland Park	32	24



Front row: Carlos Concha, Grant Rosenberg, Arun Kumar, Oscar Palacios, Houtan Chaboki, Adam Turry, Scott Cheng. **Second row:** Ken Smith, Rob Schaeffer, Harjit Singh, Angelo Georgakis, Alan Wiseman, Mark Kristoff, Brian Moreth, George Achett, Matt Krone. **Back row:** Coach Savage, Mike Smith, Greg Dennis, Tim Hieber, Mike Graf, Marty Bach, Nestor Kim, Coach Campbell.



During a meet, senior Marnie Malnekoff takes off to achieve a record breaking distance in the long jump. Members of the track team practice many hours each week to prepare for their meets.

Junior Laura Bowman reaches new heights during the high jump competition. With the guidance of their coaches, the team strives to tackle all obstacles.

Waiting for the signal to start the race, track team members have only one goal in mind - winning!



	Niles West	Opp.
Maine South	49	55
Niles North	62	12
Highland Park	60	17
Waukegan		40
East		12
Maine East	54	47
Rich East		
Glenbrook		
North	75	28
University		15
Prospect INV	3rd place	
Regina	54	12
Maine West		71
Highland		
Park Relays	3rd place	
Highland Park	100	23
Waukegan		
East		47
Maine South	89	46
Waukegan		
West		45
Regina	100	16
University		42
Deerfield	89	44
Maine West	71	65
Maine South		34
CSL North	1st	
Division	place	
Meet		
IHSA	8th	
Sectionals	place	



With all her strength senior Halina Orawiec throws the shot. Shot-put is only one of the many events of track and field.



Front Row: Lisa Mittelman, Niki Gardner, Elissa Leboy, Marale Adjemian, Marnie Malnekoff, Anna Dicesare. **Second Row:** Sara Harris, Sabina Puthusseril, Lisa Williams, Shayla Pemble, Donica Weinberg, Marsha Chang, Tricia Hoo Chung, Holly Kahn. **Third Row:** Coach Armour, Coach Armour, Sarah Kim, Laura Bowman, Peggy Campbell, Coach Sweeney, Coach Spagnoli. **Back row:** Halina Orawiec, Debbie Pozdol, Stacy Saitta, Gail Dennis, Laura Yetter, Elena Zarifopoulos.





Grasping for the baton from junior Tricia Hoo Chung, senior Donica Weinberg attempts to take the lead. Team effort and cooperation are vital for the success of the track team.

Girls Track Team Wins Title

Conference Champs

Improving in performance and growing in size each year, the girls' track team started off a successful season by winning the title of 1988 Conference Champs.

This talented team consists of many star runners such as captains Gail Dennis and Sarah Kim, graduate Staci Saitta; seniors Debbie Pozdol, Halina Orawiec and Peggy Campbell; as well as junior Holly Kahn and sophomores Shayla Pemble, Elissa LeBoy, and Lisa Williams. Each day the team members practice long and tedious hours to achieve perfection in events such as sprints, relay, distance running, long jumps, high jump, and shot put. "Practice is needed to reach your goals and to become the best you can be," stated Elissa LeBoy.

Coach Jean Armour gives the team much moral support and helps them fulfill their potential while staying free of injuries. Luckily, the team ended the season with a record of 9-0 and without any serious injuries.

**Jenny Lee
Julie Justesen**

Off To Reach The Top

To keep up their good reputation, the boy's track team has stayed in shape for the new season, hoping to capture the conference title. Promising talent on the team includes returning athletes Marty Bach, Bill DeAcetis, Hak Kang, Hyung Kim, James Lee, Keith McMath, Licarion Mendoza, Paul Schramm, Joveno Valignota, Javier Vargas, and Harry Yoon. According to head

coach Ron Campbell, "There are several (17) returning Varsity letter winners. The new people are also promising." Varsity co-captains Marty Bach, Paul Schramm, and Hak Kang were all-conference athletes last season. The track team should do very well this season and may even send a couple of athletes to state.

Bill Tsagalis
Cari Miller



On your mark, get set, GO! Track team members are off and running in another event of the meet.



With precise form, a track and field member shows his ability to high jump. Long hours go into perfecting this technique.

Running with the wind and spikes digging into the track, senior Keith McMath warms up for the meet. Warming up is necessary to prepare the body for competition.



During a meet, sophomore Giljun Delasalas prepares to propel the discus forward and establish a new school record. The team worked hard under the leadership of their coaches.



Front row: Sung Kang, Gil Delasallas, Hak Joon Kang, Harry Yoon, Pete Carderis, Licarion Mendoza, Frank Kim, Joseph Achett, Rodney Pintang. **Second row:** Sai-man Law, Robert Schaefer, Michael Yu, James Lee, Marty Bach, Saurin Pansuria, Larry Meyer, Mark Kristoff, Duk Kim. **Third row:** Coach Savage, Coach Campbell, Coach Spagnoli, Nasser Amer, Paul Schramm, Joe Chung, Sam Kim, Javier Vargas, Coach Meyer, Coach Kimura. **Back row:** Dave Kim, Doug Hirsch, Hyun Soo Kim, Bill DeAcetis, Angelo Tsagalis, Shaw Lin, Jovino Valignota, Scott Mor-eth, Keith McMath.



	Niles West	Opp.
Whitney		
Young	39	65
Fenwick		21
Niles North	74	23
Glenbrook		
North	45	50
Deertfield		39
Meet at		
Niles East	1st place	
Hayes	95	45
Niles		
West INV	4th place	
CSL		
Conf. Meet	2nd place	

Putting forth that extra amount of energy, senior Javier Vargas takes the lead on his opponent. The team relay is one of the many competitions in Track and Field.

Determined to get the ball away from her opponent, senior Lisa Schapira pursues her goal. The team was guided under the leadership of Coach Brennan.

	Niles West	Opponent
Zeedyk TRN	0	6
Zeedyk TRN	1	1
Zeedyk TRN	1	3
Maine South	0	10
Loyola	3	4
Notre Dame	5	3
Maine East	1	3
New Trier	0	4
Lake Forest	4	1
Evanston	0	7
Glenbrook North	1	7
Niles North	6	1
Glenbrook South	2	0
Prospect	1	0
Waukegan East	1	0
Maine West	5	2
Deerfield	1	0
Highland Park	0	6
Waukegan West	0	1
IHSA Regionals	2	0



Front row: Berna Danuilan, Sundy Thompson, Beatrise Revelins, Linda Alexander, Chris Sosnowski. **Second row:** Karin Janessa, Megan Goldish, Kristi Lall, Dawn Jacobs, Rossini Parayno, Barb Noesen. **Back row:** Chris Milewski, Lalaine Valignota, Julie Hedrich, Coach Brennan, Wendy Martin, Sue Rubenstein, Lisa Schapira.

Senior Megan Goldish sprints to get ahead of her opponent to shoot the winning goal. Soccer team members attacked each game enthusiastically after long hours of preparation.



A Season Of Ups 'N' Downs

Strength, agility, and stamina name just a few skills the girls' Varsity Soccer Team acquired under the guidance of Captains Kristi Lall and Dawn Jacobs, and Head Coach Joe Brennan. The girls practiced daily from 3-5, drilling, scrimmaging and jogging, in preparation for their weekend bouts. One of the six participating seniors, Lisa Schapira, observed, "It was a season of ups and downs. At the beginning we had quite a winning streak. Later on in the season, we played better teams. We also played better soccer though the score didn't always show it. All in all, I think our team worked together well, and I have high hopes for next year's team."

The defense, feared by opponents throughout the conference, consisted of all-conference Sundy Thompson, Wendy Martin, Sue Rubenstein, Chris Millewski, and Julie Hedrich. Wendy Martin even scored a goal from mid-field leading the team to a one-point victory.

However, the team's main scoring came from all-conference Dawn Jacobs, Karin Janessa, Barb Noesen, and Kristi Lall.

Experience, the best teacher, played a major role in contributing to the success of the team. The majority of seniors, who dominated the team, received special recognition for playing on a variety team while maintaining a high grade point average. The team's ability vastly improved due to the cooperation and dedication of the players, allowing them to compete on the same level as teams they had previously lost to. All-conference goalie Bea Revlins stated, "Although we lost to Evanston, we played the best soccer we were capable of playing. Challenging such a well-respected team and being considered a threat, was a major accomplishment. All our hours of practice really paid off."

Megan Goldish



Teamwork is a vital ingredient in a winning season. Senior Dawn Jacobs, aware of her opponent, prepares to pass the ball to her teammate.

Coach And Crowd Go Wild Over Girls JV Soccer

As the Girls' JV Soccer team scored another goal, the crowd and head coach Peter Zorn went wild. Coach Zorn and the Girls' JV Soccer team had a very successful season of 10 wins, 5 losses, and 2 ties due to the team continuity achieved during the season. According to senior Jane Martinez, "Because the JV Soccer team was so close knit, we cooperated well with one another during the games which

helped to strengthen our performance during the season." The experience of the juniors helped to develop the soccer skills of the freshmen and sophomores. Sophomore Agnes Danguilan stated, "All of the hard work and dedication finally paid off." The Girls' JV soccer team's payoff was a second place conference showing.

Eric Biljetina
Brian Hansen

	Niles West	Opponent
Maine South	2	9
Loyola	1	3
Maine East	2	0
New Trier	0	11
Evanston	1	10
Glenbrook North	1	9
Gordon Tech	2	4
Glenbrook South	0	2
Notre Dame	2	2
Deerfield	0	3

Front row: Cynthia Ong, Dana Mohrlein, Fehlyn Tulen, Vera Biberian, Theresa Danguilan. **Second row:** Grace Diaz, Jane Martinez, Agnes Danguilan, Dee Dee Pitsios, Eva Incze, Karen Noesen, Suzanne Covington, Agnes Lee, Jana Marinakis. **Back row:** Coach Zorn, Desy Tziortzis, Lupita Alcozer, Lule Jusufi, Leyla Arsan, Carmen Navarro, Debbie Gold, Charlotte Buehling.



Attempting to score the winning shot, junior Grace Diaz aims the ball toward the goal. Practices enable student to grasp the proper techniques used in competition.





During the game, junior Jana Marinakis avoids her opponents as she heads for the goal. The team worked long hours under the leadership of Coach Zorn.



Diving to get the ball, senior Owen Masterton protects the goal from his opponents. Masterton was selected as an all conference player.



Front row: Andreas Limber, Tom Farmakis, Owen Masterton, Tom Denic, Tom Chung. **Second row:** Mark Buisseret, Ralph Anafiotis, Adreas Harris, George Papadopoulos, Andree Abelkis, Mikhail Lyubansky, Urik Halliday, Lambros Kalamaris. **Back row:** Gus Vervilas, George Callas, Coach Sullivan, Coach Brennan, Coach Klebba, Dave Lee, Jimmy Valavanis.

During a practice, senior Lambros Kalamaris prepares to pass the ball to his teammate. Kalamaris along with Andreas Limber were captains of the team.

In mid air, this varsity soccer goalie does not let anything pass him by. The team ended the season with a record of 9-11-1.



Just For Kicks

	Niles West	Opp
Zeedyk TRN	0	6
Zeedyk TRN	1	1
Zeedyk TRN	1	3
Maine South	0	10
Loyola	3	4
Notre Dame	5	3
Maine East	1	3
New Trier	0	4
Lake Forest	4	1
Evanston	0	7
Glenbrook North	1	7
Niles North	6	1
Glenbrook South	2	0
Prospect	1	0
Waukegan East	1	0
Maine West	5	2
Deerfield	1	0
Highland Park	0	6
Waukegan West	0	1
IHSA Regionals	2	0

Working hard to earn a winning reputation, the Boys Varsity Soccer team, under the remarkable coaching of Joe Brennan, ended the season with an impressive record of nine wins, eleven losses, and one tie. This record proves that this year's team has worked hard to overcome previous poor seasons. Experience and dedication contributed to the success of the varsity team, allowing four players, Tom Denic, Andreas Harris, Lambros Kalamaris, and Owen Masterton, to receive the honor of all-conference. With help from returning starter Andreas Limber, Tassos Gianakakos, Urik Halliday, Mik-

hail Lyubansky, Jim Valavanis and Gus Vervilas contributed to the team's success. Co-Captain Andreas Limber commented, "Even though we ended our season just under .500, my co-captain Lambros Kalamaris and I still think it was a great season. Our record, though it's good, does not justice to the talent on our team." A strong defense and an effective offense helped the Boys Varsity Soccer team achieve a record that both they and the school can be proud of.

Megan Goldish



With eyes set upon the goal, the junior varsity team concentrates on a new strategy to defeat their opponents. Soccer, like many others sports, depends on teamwork.



Freshman team- Front row: John Adamidis, Matt Weinstock, Jeremy Leboy, Flavio Rocha, Mike Reane. **Second row:** Milorad Sposojevic, Peter Hepner, Matt Silverberg, Ryan Starr, Nimrad Tsubely, Stratos Kalamaris. **Back row:** Brian Morris, Alex Bendersky, Paul Rainyn, Coach Zorn, Spiro Arsenis, Myun Soo Kim.

Shooting For Their Goals

With two goals in their minds, the freshman and sophomore soccer teams attacked their respective seasons. The first goal, to whip their opponents, they hoped would lead to the fulfillment of their second goal, a goal that would bring the title, "conference champs," to the Indians.

The freshman team worked hard under the leadership of Coach Zorn. Their long hours of practice and their team concept enabled them to reach the goals they strived for. With the many dedicated players, including team leaders Flavio Rocha and Stratos Kalamaris they ended the season with a re-

cord of 8-3-2, bringing home the conference trophy.

As they watched the freshmen defeat their opponents, the sophomore team, coached by James Sweeney, hoped for the same results. With a year of experience behind them, they attacked each game and were determined to win. However, they fell short of their goal, ending the season with a hard fought third place conference.

Gaining experience each day, the members of the sophomore and freshman soccer teams prepared for the future star Indians at the varsity level.

Parveen Najiullah

Freshman A

	Niles West	Opponent
Maine South	1	1
Loyola	1	4
Notre Dame	5	0
Maine Est	9	0
New Trier	1	2
Lake Forest	1	1
Evanston	2	0
Glenbrook North	3	2
Niles North	7	0
Glenbrook South	4	0
Gordon Tach.	2	0
Deerfield	3	1
Highland Park	3	0

Preventing the ball from going out of bounds, soccer team member Sai-Man Law hopes to allude his opponents. With hard work and dedication, the team placed third in their conference.



Sophomore Team: Front team- Brad Janis, Tom Sybert, Alonso Acosta, George Namba, Danny Rakovic. Second row: Adam Runo, Joshua Siegel, George Papoutsakis, Steven Huang, Adrian Dinu, John Lo. Back row: Sai-Man Law, Han Soo Kim, Enis Aninmis, Brian Greiner, Henry Fan, Peter Axelrad, Bill Papiouannou.



Sophomores

	Niles West	Opponents
Maine South	2	2
Loyola	2	5
Notre Dame	1	0
Maine East	5	1
New Trier	0	4
Lake Forest	1	1
Evanston	0	4
Glenbrook North	0	4
Niles North	3	2
Gordon Tech.	2	1
Glenbrook South	1	1
Prospect	2	3
Waukegan East	4	2
Maine West	0	2
Deerfield	0	2
Highland Park	0	2
Waukegan West	3	1

A soccer team member aggressively completes a pass to another player. The skills needed for soccer are reinforced constantly during practice.

A Bittersweet Season

As the buzzer sounded on October 28, the football season came to a bitter sweet finale. The Waukegan Raiders had routed the Indians 27-7, robbing them of their first winning season in years, not to mention a Homecoming victory. However, the season still had many highlights.

Practice was one aspect that made the Indians successful. During practice on the day prior to a game, players referred to as "special teams" rehearsed kickoffs and kickoff returns. As part of the preparation, players received awards for the previous week's game. In addition, Head Coach Bill Richardson helped to arouse team spirit and participation by discussing last year's game against the same opponent. On the night preceeding a game, the players met for a strength building and morale boosting dinner at a team member's house.

Pointing out his views of the team, senior member

Mark Argetsinger remarked, "We had one of the best backfields in the league, and a great offensive line to go with it." The offense banged out at least 250 yards a game. Senior Dean Klemenz ramblbed for 937 yards on one hundred and sixty-five carries in the year. At the same time, Tim Queen threw 104 passes for a total of 689 yards. Offensive attack was led by seniors Mark Argetsinger, Dean Klemenz, Tim Queen, and Paul Schramm. "Our defense rated among the top teams in the Central Suburban League North," commented senior Rob Mandell.

Because of the superb coaching of Bill Richardson and the all-conference plays of Apostolou, Klemenz, O'Brien, Queen, Schramm, and Youstra, the football team achieved a very impressive season, going 2-2 in conference play and 4-5 overall.

Coach Richardson summed it up best when he

said, "I hope that the underclassmen will carry on the winning ways established by the varsity football team."

Andy Lundsberg

	Niles West	Opp.
Argo	21	9
New Trier	20	23
Maine East	34	6
Evanston	6	29
Highland Park	34	35 O.T.
Waukegan East	26	20
Maine West	21	15
Deerfield	6	35
Waukegan West	7	26



Front row: Pablo Perez, Keef Weinstein, Marc Bechar, Howie Amiel, Frank Kim, Brad Freeman, Henry Rodriguez, Andy Browder, Jim Patel. **Second row:** Joo-Yup Lee, Brian Casetta, Richard Dubin, Scott Gripman, Rack Lee, Jason Gelber, Greg Tomczyk, Derek Brown, Harry Yoon, Matt Taormina. **Third row:** "Doc" Katzman, Coach DeLeonardis, Coach Moltz, Coach Richardson, James Lee, Nasser Amer, Brett Youstra, Coach Kruczinski, Coach Hossfield, Coach Valencia, Coach Meyer. **Fourth row:** Gordon Mendoza, Rosario Luisi, Rob Mandell, Mark Argetsinger, Paul Schramm, Andy Apostolou, Tim Queen, Eric Biljetina, Greg Burdo, John Covington. **Fifth row:** Jeff Meunier, Richard Noda, Vince Romano, Calvin Ramseyer, Richard O'Brien, Jovino Valignota, Carlos Casas, George Anifiotis, Kevin Murphy. **Back row:** Andy Laliberty, Bert Mohrdieck, Steve Gurvis, Bill Tsagalis, Todd Baran, Dean Klemenz, James Bibizas, Pat Merkel.



Shouting for joy after a successful play, the varsity football team prepares for the next play. The team's season ended with an overall record of 4-5.



Seconds before the handoff, quarterback Tim Queen calls out the signals. Queen has been a two year starter for the Indians at that position.



Explaining a new strategy, Coach Deleonardis prepares his team for the next drive. The football team practices daily after school during the season.

Seniors Mark Argetsinger and Rob Mandell show their approval of the previous play. The Homecoming game marked the finale of the season.

Strategy plays an important role in winning a football game. Coach Moltz makes a change and instructs sophomore Mark Campanini to take the field and play his position.



Underclass Football

The word "underclassmen" usually evokes images of new beginnings, and a time for mental and physical development. This traditional description also fits the Freshman and Sophomore Football teams.

Due to the large turnout of over fifty freshman football players, coaches Steve Ramseyer, Ron Gralewski, and Elmer Erby had their hands full of finding and developing so much crude talent. Freshman players required many hours of preparation to catch up with the more experienced teams of other schools. The coaches divided the group into the "A" and "B" teams, with separate schedules. The "A" team ended up with a record of one win, one tie, and six

losses. Although the less successful "B" team had no wins, the season helped develop their potential.

The Sophomore Football team achieved three victories and four losses for the season. Besides getting a taste of the game, sophomores learned to enjoy the competition and camaraderie of high school football. These sophomores will enter junior year as welcome additions.

The combination of new talent and hard work in the underclass level makes the future look promising for Niles West.

Marla Schrager
Marla Okmin
Andy Browder

Sophomore Brad Niedermaier gains yardage and moves the team closer to a touchdown and another victory.



Even through the cold weather, team spirit remains high. Sophomore Brett Kroner and Coach Meyer show their enthusiasm after a touchdown.



The sophomore defensive line stops the Raiders offense in their tracks. Teammates combine their efforts to play a competitive game each week.

Freshman A Team

	Niles	
	West	Opp
New Trier	0	30
Maine East	18	8
Evanston	0	32
Highland Park	8	28
Waukegan East	8	14

Sophomore Team

	Niles	
	West	Opp
Argo	20	0
Maine East	13	6
Evanston	6	28
Highland Park	6	22
Waukegan East	0	14
Maine West	8	27
Deerfield	20	36

Freshman Team Front Row: Chad Lehman, Lorel Zaide, Steve Michaels, Brian Berkowitz, Jeff Epstein, James Lo, Tony Caceres, Dan Isfan, Vincent Luisi, Hyung Kim, Mike Diete, Ed Navarro, Andy Shimanski. **Second Row:** Mike Vives, Mike Schneider, Gilberto Duran, Tony Kachenchai, Mike Karkalis, Bob Tuchscherer, John Thomas, Steve Venn, Jason Cohan, David Kim, Daniel Luby, Rhome Ruanphane, Mike Neville, Nick Spiratos, Dan Danguilan. **Third Row:** John Coyne, Jai Wu, Bob Kestler, Bryan Wasserman, Nick Perencevic, Coach Ramseyer, Coach Gralowski, Coach Erbe, Coach LeCompte, Eric Clark, Rob Merkel, Bill Kessel, Tim Rodgers, David Casetta. **Fourth Row:** Tom Sotirakos, Telly Psradellis, Mark Hawlitzky, Steve Novokovsky, James Karp, Bill Laskaridis, Angelo Dizon, Noah Ament, John Hsing, Joey Steinfeld, Kris Bosshart, Doug Baba, Ryan Mollet. **Back Row:** Nick Joung, Kurt Baran, Devin Lacko, Gary Guttierrez, Andy Redman, Ryan Gonzalez, Dan Udoni, Danny Putrus, Vlad Zaychik, Mike DiGiovanni.

Golfers Go For The Gold

Driving, chipping, putting, ... These actions became part of a daily routine for many members of the golf team. Beginning their season on a positive note, golfers won their first match, and ended with a dual meet record of 3-8. The varsity team consisting of seniors, as well as several underclassmen, showed great improvement from past seasons.

As the last few weeks of the season approached, Indian golfers really began to show more of their outstanding talents. They shocked fans by placing fourth in the conference meet, and sixth

in the 14 team regional.

Other accomplishments also added to the golfers' successful season. Seniors Jeff Goby and Nick Stratigakes advanced to the IHSA state tournament as well. Head coach George Galla commented, "I am really pleased with the performance of the team this season because the players worked hard."

At the close of the season, the hard work and dedication put in by golfers became evident in their results. Driving, chipping, and putting led them to success!

Nick Stratigakes



Lost in the woods of a golf course, Jeff Goby finds himself in a bind as he attempts to return his golf ball to the grass. Although the landscapes are attractive, they often ruin the golfer's game.



Front Row: Joey Bellina, Matt Saitta, Kevin Christensen, Jeff Goby, Walter Norkin. **Second Row:** Scott Whelan, Tony Epperson, Jason Donsky, David Nakai, Frank Corday, Eric Kreitzman, Dennis Remke, Benjie Graiss, Brett Fuenfer. **Back Row:** Coach Earl, Brad Utanoff, Jemuel Ripley, Bobby North, Bill Oden, Nick Stratigakes, James Steiner, Coach Galla.

Feet set, arms extended, hands tight and ready, senior Eric Kreitzman concentrates on his form, as he aims for the ball. His position is necessary in order for the club to strike the ball with great force.





After missing a hole-in-one, Brad Utanoff calculates his stroke for a birdie. Although very small, a golf hole can actually fit two golf balls in it simultaneously.

	Niles	
	West	Op.
Niles North	185	176
Evanston	171	172
New Trier	181	155
Glenbrook		
South	178	159
Notre Dame	175	163
Waukegan		
West	190	189
Highland		
Park	168	151
Wheeling		
INV	384	
Waukegan		
East	175	178
Maine West	175	178
Lake Forest		
INV	369	
Deerfield	181	147
C.S.L. North		
Division	185	
Main South	190	178
IHSA		
Regionals	356	

Getting a pep talk from Coach Earl, varsity team members listen to his strategy and hope for a win. The team continued their winning ways and ended the season with a respectable record.

Front row: Becka Shipp, Heather McKenna, Helen Ress, Doreen Kestler, Heather Donlon. Back row: Julie Berg, Karen Miller, Sandy Stergios, Debbie Pozdol, Coach Earl.



In a match against Deerfield, team member Heather McKenna takes a shot at the buzzer. The team employed a variety of offenses and defenses to fool their opponents.

West Meets West

The eyes of the entire state were focused on girls basketball and Niles West, when the Indians hosted Maine West in the last regular-season game of the year.

The attention was actually on Maine West, which had a chance to tie the state consecutive win record with a victory over Niles West.

The game was supposed to be a blow out. The Warriors were defending state champions and entered the contest with a 62 game winning streak. In addition, they had already beaten the Indians by 40 points earlier in the season.

The second time around, the results were the same. Maine West, ranked by U.S.A. Today as the top girls team in the country, won their 63rd game, trying the record set by Peoria Richwoods in 1984.

While the results were the same, The margin of victory was not. The lady cagers hung in the game, refusing to allow the Warriors to pull away. At the start of the fourth quarter, they were down only eight points, after actually outscoring Maine West 22-15 in the third quarter. Maine West went on to win the game 77-59, but it was still a victory of sorts for the Indians.

For one thing, the players could console themselves with the knowledge

that no team has beaten Maine West since, who else but Niles West, accomplished the feat three years ago.

Then, there is the obvious improvement the team has made since their first meeting with Maine West, as demonstrated by the 22 point difference in the margins of victory.

In addition, the team can always remember their 3rd quarter performance, knowing that, for at least one quarter, they had outscored the best team in the country.

The leader of the third quarter rally was a senior point guard Heather Donlon. Donlon, the team's top outside shooter and second leading scorer, scored 18 of the team's 22 points in the quarter. Sixteen of those points, which included four straight three-pointers, came consecutively. Donlon finished the game with 29 points.

The Indians were not, however, a one man, uh — girl, team. The starting line-up featured three seniors, all consistent scorers. In addition to Donlon, Sandy Stergios and forward Debbie Pozdol, the team's leading scorer, averaged in double figures. The rest of the line-up included promising freshman Heather McKenna and junior Helen Ress.





	Niles West	Opp.
New Trier	51	76
Glenbrook South	51	37
Elk Grove TRN	57	35
Elk Grove TRN	50	43
Elk Grove TRN	49	44
Oak Park	64	66
Highland Park	64	27
Waukegan East	65	40
Deerfield	65	26
Evanston	61	76
Maine West	36	76
Lockport	51	27
Dixon TRN	60	35
Dixon TRN	76	52
Dixon TRN	35	55
Dixon TRN	60	43
Waukegan West	68	41
Deerfield	51	29
Highland Park	66	39
Cary Grove	44	52
Waukegan East	66	39
Maine West	59	77
Waukegan West	72	50
IHSA Regionals	54	59

Senior Heather Donlon looks down court for an open teammate. Donlon was among the players who sparked the team through their winning season.

With one goal-to steal the ball and score another basket- this team member blocks her opponent's pass. Members of the junior varsity team hope to compete on the varsity team next season.



The team practices hard to play competitive matches. Here, a basketball team member is careful not to foul her opponent as she dribbles down the court.



JV Players Spirit Prevails

Even though the Junior Varsity Girls' Basketball team had a record of seven and nine this past season, their cooperativeness and spirit prevailed. Coach Klebba commented, "As freshmen, they won only one game; seven wins this year indicates a significant improvement in skills and understanding of the game. They must continue to improve their work habits to be competitive."

Players whose improvement helped the team included leading rebounder Paula Hansen, leading scorer Jill Hammond, second

leading scorer Stephanie Israel, and Ana Suboni, the only freshman on the junior varsity team.

Klebba also believes that the team, wins or loses their games because of their competitiveness, describing the high point of the season as a 41-37 overtime win over Waukegan East avenging an easier loss.

Klebba concluded, "This was an enjoyable group. They are easy to coach and generally cooperative and compatible with each other."

**Robyn Nadick
Huma Qureshi**



A team member goes up for a lay up during a match against Lockport. Despite a tough battle, the girls lost the match 42-25.

Jr. Varsity

	Niles Opp West	
Glenbrook South	17	20
New Trier	20	70
Oak Park Highland Park	25	70
Waukegan East	31	21
Deerfield	21	28
Evanston	30	16
Maine West	26	42
Lockport	21	42
Waukegan West	25	42
Deerfield	34	20
Highland Park	21	14
Waukegan East	18	14
Maine West	41	37 OT
Waukegan West	21	36
	42	31



Driving down to the hoop, to score another basket, freshman Ana Suboni tries to avoid her opponent. Members of the J.V. team hope to one day start for the varsity squad.



Front row: Ana Suboni, Stephanie Israel, Jill Hammond. **Second row:** Vanessa Smetkowski, Paula Hansen, Kathy O'Brien, Pamela Dressler, Jane Patyk. **Back row:** Ticia Doughty, Amy Oseland, Maya Hoffman, Coach Earl.

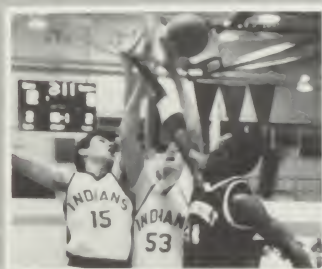
Front row: Matt Laliberty, Max Shulman, Keef Weinstein. Second row: Eric Gold, Brian VanMersbergen, John Lally, Jim Nikolakakis, David Miller, Peter Kucera. Back row: Coach Meyer, Andy Laliberty, David Boehm, Ali Lejlic, Jeff Foss.

With determination, senior David Miller attempts to avoid his Roosevelt opponent and shoot a basket. To increase student turnout at games, the Niles Township sponsored the second annual "Pack the Place" night.





With perfect aim, junior Ali Le shoots for the basket from outside. Nikolakakis was a major force that opponents had to fac.



The Indians are determined to retrieve the rebound, score and recover the lead from their opponents.

Cagers Improve During Season

Like a heavy-weight boxer who had his opponent on the ropes in the early rounds but just couldn't get the knockout punch in, the Niles West boys basketball team had many first half leads, during the first half of the season, only to lose the game by a point or two in the fourth quarter.

During the second half of the season (starting with Pontiac Tournament), however, the team turned it around winning the games they felt they should win.

No magical potion or strategy changed the team's losing ways. According to senior forward John Lally, the team had been playing well enough to win but was just unable to get the knockout in the first part of the season.

What then put the pop in the Indian's punch? Opinions vary, but the overwhelming response from team members was that during the Pontiac Tournament, in which the team won two of the four games played, the players gained the confidence they needed to win the close games.

In addition, the Pontiac Tournament also saw the emergence of 6-4 senior David Miller as an important contributor off the bench. Before the tournament, Miller was riding the bench, getting virtually no playing time. At Pontiac he got the chance to play, and has been the first big man off the bench ever since.

While Miller, sophomore guard Eric Gold, senior forward Jeff Foss and other re-

serves made important contributions, the bulk of the team's turnaround has to be attributed to the improved play of the starters.

Head coach Tom Meyer originally went with a big line-up, starting 6-4 seniors Lally and Foss at the forward slots, 6-6 junior Ali Lejlic at center, 6-2 junior Jim Nikolakakis at off (shooting) guard and 5-11 senior Max Shulman at the point.

For the Pontiac Tournament, Meyer went with a smaller but quicker line-up. He brought Foss off the bench, moved Nikolakakis to the small forward slot, and started 6-0 senior Andy Laliberty in Nikolakakis's spot. The change seemed to help and Meyer kept this line-up the rest of the season.

Mikhail Lyubansky



Senior John Lally searches down court for a teammate. Lally played primarily at the forward slot.



Jumping higher than his opponent, senior David Miller passes the ball to an open teammate. The team ignited at the end of the season and played competitive matches against their opponents.

	Niles West	Opp
NW 15th		
Schnurr TRN	50	71
NW 15th		
Schnurr TRN	43	40
NW 15th		
Schnurr TRN	54	52
New Trier	66	77
Conant	50	55
Waukegan		
East	45	58
Glenbrook		
South	46	60
Main West	55	53
Schaumburg	39	43
Pontiac TRN	67	74
Pontiac TRN	61	56
Pontiac TRN	58	48
Pontiac TRN	41	44
Deerfield	51	57
Waukegan		
West	71	73
Roosevelt	66	57
Highland		
Park	53	56
Waukegan		
East	71	66
Maine South	49	59
Glenbrook		
North	69	67

Freshman Team- Front row: Danny Danguilan, Gus Foutris, Milo Spasojevic, Mike Schneider. **Second row:** Erick Clark, Noah Ament, Jaime Steiner, Jin Goyshor, Nick Perencevic, Sean Szlak. **Back row:** Bob Stankiewicz, Gary Gutierrez, Coach Genis, Ryan Starr, Nick Joung.



Sophomore Team- Front row: Desi Mulingbayan, Andy Coleman, Colin Danzinger, Sean Holton. **Second row:** Jeff Richards, Brian Moreth, Chris Bajgrowicz, Rick Miller, Shawn McGovern, Steve Huang. **Back row:** Coach Horan, Brad Niedermaier, Mike Graf, Shaw Lin, Matt Hautala.



Sophomore basketball team members leap high to get their rebound. The team practiced daily to improve their skills.

JV Players Have High Hopes

Striving for perfection, the junior varsity basketball team worked hard to compete at their potential. Starting four out of five underclassmen, the team, with experience to a young team like us. "It really builds up our confidence when we play together," commented junior Matt LaLiberty.

The team boasted a .500 record at the end of the season. However, many of the players plan to play on the sum-

mer League team, which consists of some of the top rated teams in the state. This program allows team members to gain experience for the upcoming regular season. Senior forward Javier Vargas summed up his involvement on the team by commenting, "It was a lot of fun, while giving us the experience we needed."

Nick Stratigakes



As the final minutes of the game approach, Coach Horan takes a time-out and encourages his players to fight until the end. Coach Horan coaches the sophomore team.



Sophomore Team		
	Niles	
	West	Opp
New Trier	30	42
Conant	40	59
Waukegan East	54	62
Glenbrook South	45	52
Maine West	40	48
Schaumburg	40	49
Elk Grove TRN	37	64
Elk Grove TRN	41	43
Elk Grove TRN	50	42
Deerfield	38	36
Elk Grove	37	64
Waukegan West	43	48
Roosevelt	33	61
Highland Park	36	52
Waukegan East	37	41
Maine South	46	70
Maine West	41	27
Deerfield	48	57
Glenbrook North	60	46
Waukegan West	49	52



During the game, sophomore Brad Niedermaier dribbles down court while trying to avoid his opponent.

Freshman A		
	Niles	
	West	Opp
Niles North	62	58
Conant	40	68
New Trier	55	64
Glenbrook South	59	54
Waukegan East	46	62
Loyola TRN	51	31
Loyola TRN	32	48
Loyola TRN	38	55
Maine West	50	45
Elk Grove	46	50
Deerfield	33	26
Waukegan West	47	83
Highland Park	37	46
Maine South	38	42
Waukegan East	41	68
Maine West	29	34
Glenbrook North	43	58
Deerfield	49	

Flying high above the ground, sophomore Mike Weiss prepares to dunk the ball in the basket and score another two points.

Gymnasts Leap Ahead

After tying for second place in conference last year and practicing for many dedicated hours over the recent summer, the girls' gymnastics team headed into the season with high hopes. The season started out with the girls topping last year's high score against Maine South with a 126.7.

Head coach Jodi Nebbia commented, "I was really pleased that we scored that high this early in the season. I was really pleased with the effort; we should improve."

A total group effort contributed to the team's success. The varsity team, comprised of 5 seniors, 8 juniors, 2 sophomores, and 2 freshmen, succeeded in achieving most of their goals which included beating their high

score and beating Highland Park in conference. Senior Captain Lauren Wagner commented, "What's unique about our team is that we're all friends. What grade you're in doesn't matter." That special closeness brought the team to a 2 and 2 conference record, a 5 and 3 overall record, and a first place title in the "Star is Born" Invitational. The lower levels also finished well this year, raising hopes for a strong varsity team. "We have a lot of talented freshmen and sophomores on our team. Many of them will be ready to fill the empty spots next year," commented coach Gail Piper.

**Tony Stegich
Michelle Bauer**

With a smile of content, junior Grace Diaz shows her flexibility during a balance beam routine. Many students enjoy the competition of interscholastic sports.



Prepared to compete, the gymnastics team hope their hours of practice will guarantee them a win.



A nervous moment ... but this gymnast concentrates on her performance. The varsity team was comprised of all grade levels.



Front row: Ryoko Yamaguchi, Peggy Campbell, Lauren Wagner, Chris Doroba, Jamie Weisman, Shannon Crowley. **Second row:** Holly Kahn, Barb Sosnowski, Kim Sokalski, Laura Bowman, Sara Harris, Debbie Ber- man, Dana Mohrlein, Grace Diaz. **Third row:** Noriko Yamaguchi, Ilyce Shugall, Sooa Choi, Chris Lukens, Vicki Rappin, Marla Kramer, Abbey Greene, Amy Ryan, Seh Jin Han, Dawn Mukai. **Back row:** Coach Grunst, Coach Piper, Coach Nebbia, Coach Torres.



Senior Chris Doroba arouses the crowd with her breath taking performance. Viewers were always provided with a competitive meet.



Cheering on their teammates, the gymnastics team hopes to place first in the meet.



A gymnast lands her dismount solidly before the spectators. The uneven bars are one of the many pieces of equipment the gymnastic team performs on.



Leaping through the air like an angel, senior Lauren Wagner enthusiastically performs her routine. Wagner has been a member of the team for four years.

	Niles West	Opp
Maine South	124.6	120.1
Glenbrook North	122.9	129.2
Highland Park	122.6	124.8
Glenbrook North INV	7th place	
Deerfield	126.4	127.4
New Trier	112.6	140.5
Evanston	132.4	124.3
Lane Tech	115.7	105.6
Waukegan East	129.8	103.5
Maine West	127.2	125.9

With The Greatest Of Ease

Flipping, leaping, and twisting through the air, members of the boys' gymnastics team work hard throughout the season to perfect their routines. Both the gymnasts and coach John Burkel have high expectations for the season. Though small in size, the team definitely has both talent and experience, which have led to excellent performances and scores at the State Tournament held at Forest View High School every year.

Led by captain Darrin Baim, returning seniors include Daryl Cohen and Art Sanchez. Upcoming varsity members include Andrew Browder, Arnold Cruz, Howie Edelman, Dennis Lee, Jason McGuire, and Derek Pedraza. Anxiously watching each performer, the fans hope to see that "Perfect 10" as the gymnasts "stick" their routines.

Sandy Stergios

Front row: Derek Pedraza, Henry Chun, Arnold Cruz. **Second row:** Dennis Lee, Howie Edelman, Coach Nebia, Coach Burkel, Coach Torres, Jason McGuire, Mike Colby. **Back row:** Bob Levy, Darrin Baim, Darryl Cohen, Art Sanchez.



Executing a required move, the scissors, on the pommel horse, gymnast Dennis Lee exhibits excellent form. Each piece of equipment requires many hours of training for the gymnasts.





Determined to score a 10, senior Mike Colby mounts the high bar to begin his routine. Team spirit propels these athlete to aim high and conquer all obstacles.



A scene coaches and gymnasts dread... Coach Burkel attends to gymnast Jason McGuire and hopes his athlete is not seriously injured.



Gymnast Henry Chun performs an iron cross, on the rings, during a meet. Such moves require gymnasts to work on their upper body strength.

	Niles West	Opp.
Maine West	124.3	121.6
New Trier	118.7	120.3
Evanston	128.9	131.6
Maine South	133.3	82.1
Niles North	136.3	92.8
Maine East	140.7	118.2
CSL Division		
Meet	2nd place	

Though boys hockey is not school sponsored, many students still participate for the competition this sport provides. Here, a hockey player attempts to pass the puck to a teammate.

Bench Clearing Season

Favored to win the Metro Central Division, the Niles West Hockey team practiced to continue their winning tradition. Although not school sponsored, the team includes seventeen Niles West students. In the first twelve games, the Indians suffered only one defeat to Leyden. The Indians even boasted four out of the top six scorers in the Metro Division; Marc Bechar, Scott Ledwon, Kevin Oztekin and Jemuel Ripley. Early in the season, the Indians qualified for the state tournament. Senior Marc Bechar stated "We seem to be peaking at the right time with the state tournament just around the corner". As goalie, transfer student Tony Pusateri led the way to victory. If the Indians keep healthy, they have an excellent chance to advance in the state competition. However, Senior Kevin Oztekin stated, "We seem to be weak from absences",

Nick Stratigakes





During a practice, teammates play a one on one game of hockey to brush up on their techniques. Practice ensures perfection!



Front row: Brad Schoknecht, Joe Petinatto, Tim Ledwon, Tony Pusateri, Coach, Scott Ledwon, Miles McGuire. Back row: Mr. Oztekin, Jemuel Ripley, Brett Kroner, Joe Chung, Arnie Sair, Kevin Oztekin, Mike Kim, Dave Kazarian, Jason McGuire, Jeff Joast, Brett Stusiner, Rich O'Brien, Marc Bechar, Mr. Ledwon.

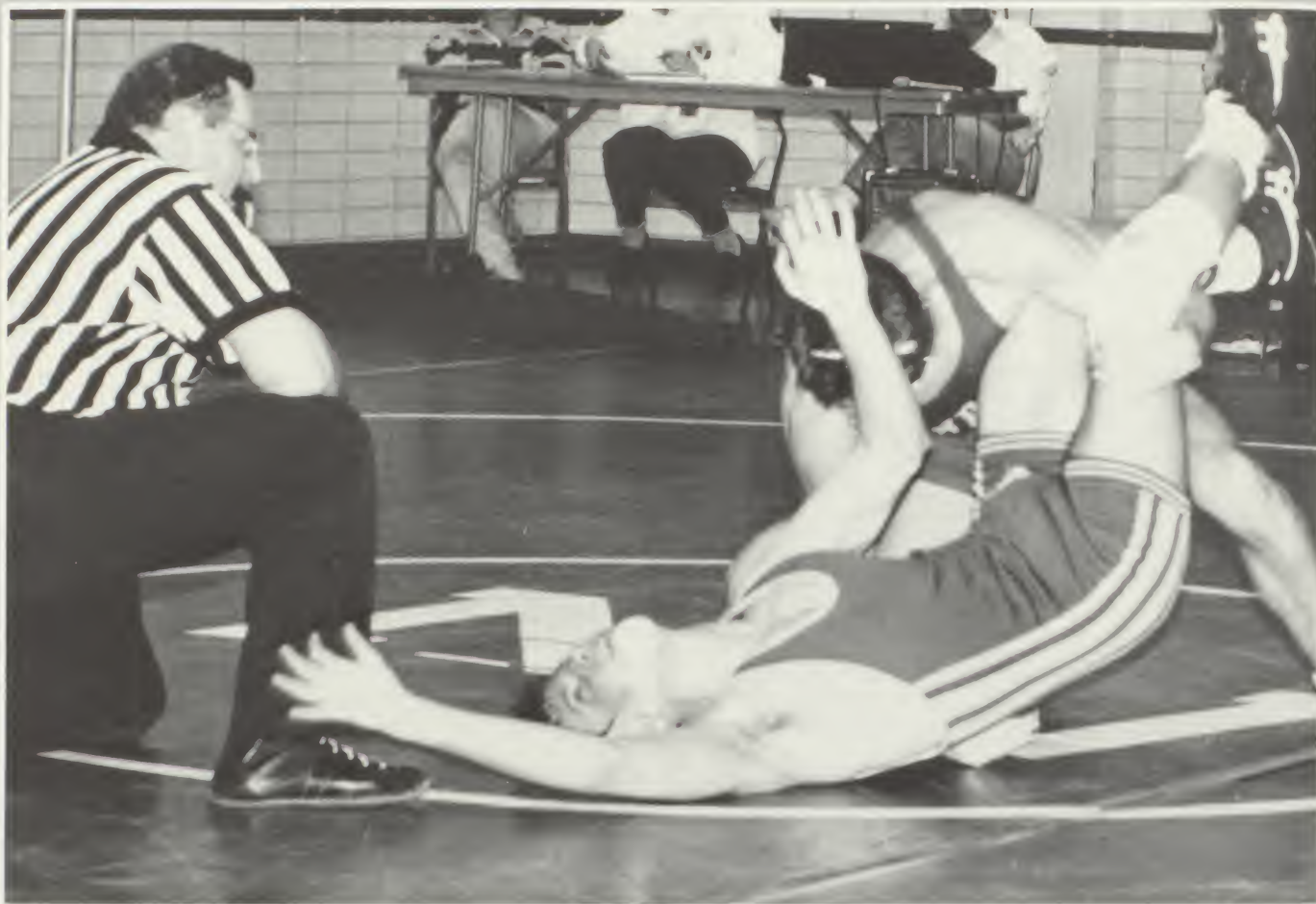


Fellow teammates Marc Bechar and Scott Ledwon chase after the puck. The hockey team, in its second season, had a winning record.



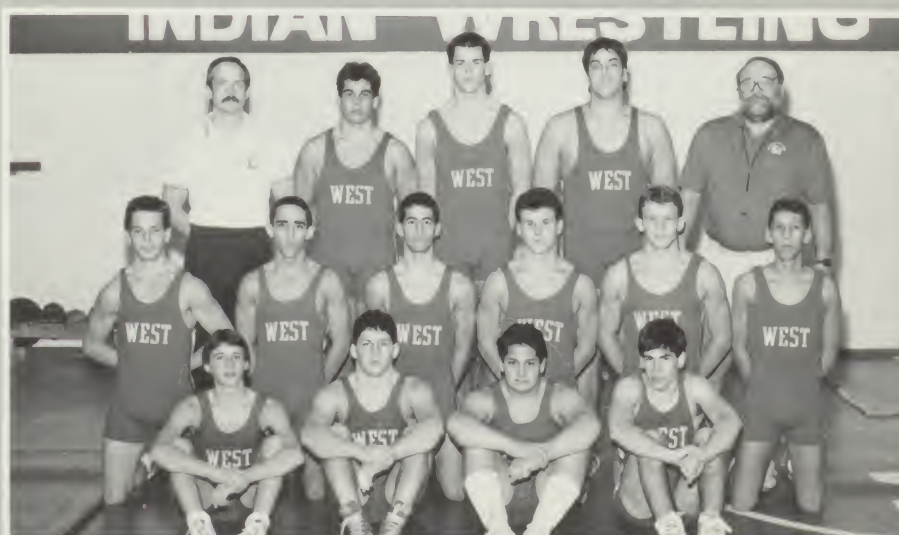
On the look out for the puck, hockey player Brad Schoknecht is ready to drive down the ring and score a point for his team. The team worked long hours to prepare for each game they encountered.

	Niles West	Opponent
Stevenson	3	7
Stevenson	2	3
Schaumburg	6	5
Lane Tech	12	1
Maine West	17	2
Buffalo Grove	17	2
Maine West	5	0
Evanston	8	3
Leyden	6	11
Weber	6	2
Maine South	5	2
Weber	6	1
Buffalo Grove	14	0
Maine South	7	2
Lane Tech	9	2
Leyden	3	2



Senior Brett Youstra stacks his opponent. Youstra went downstate to compete in the state finals.

	Niles West	Opp
Evanston	53	19
Conant Feutz TRN	9th place	
Maine East	33	28
Glenbrook		
North INV	3rd place	
Maine South	55	18
Maine West	30	30
Glenbrook		
South TRN	10th place	
Deerfield	43	23
Leyden TRN	6th place	
Waukegan West	27	33
Gorden Tech	18	44
Notre Dame	22	48
New Trier	23	38
Waukegan East	13	40
Glenbrook		
South	36	30



Front row: Scott Shapiro, Marc Bechar, Rory Seleman, Larry Wishnick. Second row: Matt Stern, Marc Tadelman, Howie Amiel, Kevin Hansen, Brett Youstra, Bob Pine. Back row: Coach Hutchinson, Sam Jones, Andy Lundsberg, Bill Tsagalis, Coach Silverstein.



Striving for a far ankle tight waist breakdown, senior Marc Bechar wins a two point lead.



Struggling for a three point turn over, senior Scott Shapiro manages to overpower his opponent and come up with a victory.



Wrestling has become a popular sport for students to participate in and attend as spectators.

Wrestlers Complete Busy Season

Although half-nelson, Grambi, Reversal and take-down might sound strange to most people, these terms mean much to an experienced wrestler. The Indians, known state-wide for their successful wrestling program, started the season with their usual vigor and determination. They grappled, ran, and worked out in the weight room from 3:00 to 5:00 daily in preparation for weekend meets. The team's dedication produced continuous victories. Wrestlers frequently arrived at 6:15 A.M. for early-morning running sessions and many adjusted their diets to "make weight."

Three returning all-conference wrestlers, Bobby Pine, 112 lbs; Marc Tadelman, 119 lbs. and Brett Youstra, 152 lbs. along with Kevin Hansen, 140 lbs., and Scott Shapiro, 103 lbs. have earned impressive individual records. In fact, Tadelman remains undefeated. The Indians have captured first place eight out of the last nine seasons. Despite intense perseverance, the team ended this season, however, in fourth place.

Captain Marc Tadelman commented, "We could have won the conference and regional titles if we had a full line-up." Lack of wrestlers may have accounted for this season's record. With at least three forfeits per meet at 160 lbs., 170 lbs., and 189 lbs., the Indians had to fight twice as hard.

The team, under the direction of newly appointed Gary Hutchinson, is relatively inexperienced compared to previous Indian teams. The team has optimistic hopes for future seasons and will depend upon consistency from juniors Howie Amiel, 130 lbs; Matt Stern, 135 lbs., and Bill Tsagalis, heavyweight. Captain Brett Youstra observed, "We still have a good program even with the coaching changes. Coach Hutchinson is doing a terrific job but the kids must continue to work harder to be the Indian wrestling team that opponents fear. They must strive to restore the Niles West Wrestling Dynasty."

Megan Goldish



Vigorously attempting an overhead lock, wrestler Howie Amiel takes his opponent down. The Indians went on to beat Waukegan West in this meet.



With all his strength, this varsity wrestler takes down his opponent. The team was guided by the expertise of Coach Hutchinson.

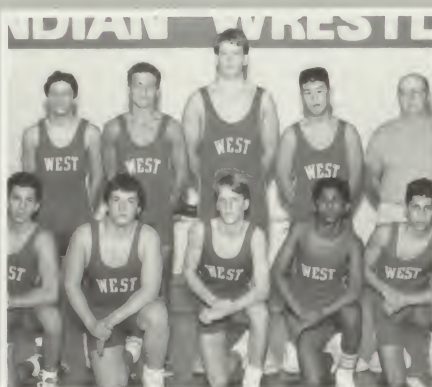
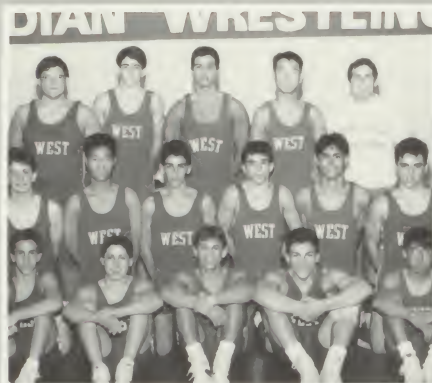
Junior Varsity Team- Front row: Matthew Novoselsky, Elliott Malkin, Ari Dorf, Jordan Dorf, Riki Utsunomiya. **Second row:** Michael Hartman, Sun Jin Choi, Jim Ponto, Preston Alper, Adrian Murillo, Spiro Tsipianitis. **Back row:** Peter Kardaras, Pete Axelrad, Matt Burns, Mike Cho, Coach Valenzia.

JV Wrestlers Provide Spirit

Even though participation dropped in junior varsity wrestling this year, spirited efforts by those who went out for the sport made this season an important one for beginning wrestlers. According to Kurt Baran, "Losses were due to forfeits. Junior Varsity had to forfeit seven out of fourteen weights." More participation next year can help prevent forfeits.

Coach Porter prepared the wrestlers for their weekly matches by using the weight room and putting wrestlers against one another. Freshmen Peter Hepner stated, "It could have been a better season if we had more people go out for the sport. We have a great team, just not enough people are interested." The training of Coach Porter provided the wrestlers with the experience of a first season. This year's team possesses a bright future to a winning season next year.

Mia Adler
Donna Peterson



Freshman Team- Front row: Vince Luisi, Chad Twoday, Peter Hepner, Shashi Gowda, Jose Gormaz. **Back row:** Kurt Baran, Steve Novakovsky, Ryan Gonzales, Shintavo Shimosawa, Coach Porter.



With the referee signaling at their sides, junior Adrian Murillo wrestles his opponent. Lack of participation hurt the team in over all competition.



With the goal of winning freshman Shintaro Shimosawa gives it his all for a victory against his opponent. The freshman were guided under Coach Porter.

Jr. Varsity

	Niles	
	West	Opp
Evanston	37	30
Glenbard North INV	42	30
Maine East	42	18
NW TRN	31	30
Maine South	34	27
Maine West	34	36
Highland Park	41	15
Deerfield	45	24
Waukegan West	12	44
Gordon	72	forfeit
Notre Dame	58	18
New Trier	36	34



Junior varsity member Ari Dorf attempts to earn points and triumph over his opponent. Coach Valenzia prepares the team for their matches.

Freshman A Team

	Niles	
	West	Opp
Evanston	12	69
Maine East	12	56
Maine South	26	51
Conant TRN	16	62
Conant TRN	28	51
Conant TRN	31	48
Mine West	22	48
Deerfield	27	45
NW TRN	28	39
NW TRN	12	66
NW TRN	35	12
Waukegan West	13	60
St. Patrick	27	46
Highland Park	12	54
New Trier	12	30
Gordon Tech	16	48
Waukegan East	13	53
CSL North Div.	1st place-103 lbs.	
	1st place-Hwt.	
	3rd place-112 lbs.	
	3rd place-145 lbs.	



She's safe! The umpire makes his final decision as another flawless play is completed.



After rounding the bases and coming off the diamond, teammates cheer the runner on. A great compliment, getting a "high five" from a teammate, completes the satisfaction of a good play.



To bounce back into the game, Coach Ramseyer discusses a new strategy to his JV softball team. Hard work and preparation goes along with every game.



As previous cheering comes to an abrupt end, the umpire and catcher await the pitch. This play may determine the outcome of the game.

Goals Fulfilled For An Improved Team

The ump calls the count 3-2 with two outs in the seventh inning and a tie score, when a Niles West batter steps up to the plate. The pitcher releases the ball . . .

HOME RUN!!! The Niles West Girls Softball Team wins.

Throughout the previous season, the Indians experienced many such victories which allowed them to win second place conferences, just behind the Deerfield Warriors.

According to Coach Paula Sfickas, "Coaching is a lot of hard work, but after holding

those conference trophies in my hands, all the hard work and dedication pays off." The JV and Freshman teams coached by Steve Ramseyer and Dave Brandes also obtained winning records of 10-7, and 8-8. The coaches all hope that future teams will involve as much enthusiasm as present teams do. "We had so much spirit. It makes coaching a lot easier when everyone enjoys what they do," comments Ramseyer. For the future, the coaches and players share the same goal, an improved team.

Hilary Kaden



Front Row: Debbie Berman, Tracy Pecs, Kim McAllister. **Second Row:** Stacey Lasker, Carol Abraham, Hilary Kaden, Michelle Mackey, Becka Shipp, Kim Ramiriz. **Back Row:** Linda Sax, Kathy Schroeder, Coach Sfickas, Kelli Lochner, Marni Feig.

	Niles West	Opp.
Maine South	2	9
Waukegan East	10	21
Maine West	13	1
Niles North	3	18
Highland Park	9	5
Waukegan East	8	5
Riverside Brookfield	13	1
Riverside Brookfield	6	5
Maine West	8	2
Maine East	4	3
Regina	7	4
New Trier	7	10
Highland Park	5	1
Deerfield	7	5
Evanston	1	8

Team spirit is evident as these softball players cheer their teammates on. The team ended the season with a respectable record in their division.

Pitchers must work hard and have a variety of pitches to select from during a game. Here, an Indian pitcher throws a fastball to her opponent and hopes she will strike out.



Confident and determined to win, this softball player arrives at home plate before the throw.

Rounding third base and scoring another run, the varsity team takes the lead in the fifth inning.



Three balls and two strikes is the count as this varsity softball player hopes to bring home the runner on second.



Preventing the softball from leaving the infield, senior Kelly Lochner attempts to retrieve the ball and tag the runner out at first.

Coach Ramseyer cheers on his softball players. Like students, many faculty members participate in the school sport's teams, however as coaches.



An Unpredictable Season

Ups and downs didn't discourage Indians in the least bit. Instead, it left them with a positive attitude, working and striving to be the best! The 1987-88 team started off the baseball season on the right pitch, winning their first six games against Proviso East, Notre Dame, Niles North, Waukegan East, Deerfield and Highland Park. Unfortunately, the Indians experienced an unexpected losing streak soon after, losing 10 out of their 13 games. However, during this time Coach Galla elevated some underclassmen to see if it would change the team's luck in any way. Brad Niedermaier pitched many games for the Indians making Coach Galla extremely enthusiastic about his future as a starting pitcher for the following season. Another young player, John Covington, took on the position of

centerfield. His performance during this time gave Coach Galla an optimistic view about Covington's future on the team as well. Team members did not allow bad luck to bring their spirits down. Steve Schaffer's views stated, "Although our team struggled at the end of the season, we seemed to get better each game."

At the close of the season, many key players were lost. Among these players were seniors Brad Kave, Craig Harris, Brian Israel, Dave Neuhauser, Steve Schaffer, and Herbie Diaz. Nevertheless, Coach Galla seemed confident that the experience gained by the remaining players during their losing streak will result in a successful upcoming season.

Nick Stratigakes



He's out!! A successful play by Herbie Diaz at home plate makes three outs and puts the Indians up to bat.



Although not on the field, Indian members closely view the game and contemplate a victory. Players are greatly encouraged by the support of teammates and fans.



That's strike one for Chris Murschel as he swings hard but misses. However, correct form and techniques, as taught at practice, are displayed.

	Niles West	Opp.
Proviso East	9	2
Lake View	14	2
Niles North	3	2
Niles North	6	10
Notre Dame	9	4
Buffalo Grove	2	1
Proviso East	3	2
Waukegan East	4	0
Main West	6	7
Hersey	5	10
Hersey	4	3
Waukegan West	8	12
Highland Park	6	5
New Trier	1	11
Main East	0	4
Glenbrook North	2	3
Glenbrook South	1	2
Evanston	3	7
Maine South	4	5
Maine West	13	16



Front Row: Herbie Diaz, Matt Karlesky, Brad Kave, Steve Schaffer, Andy Bok. **Second Row:** Brian Israel, James Han, Tony Granatelli, Jim Ciemny, Sean Mollet, Craig Harris. **Back Row:** Coach Galla, Jim Valavanis, Jordan Subrinsky, Tony Klancnik, Chris Murschel, Dave Neuhauser, Coach Nelson.

Team spirit never dies despite the season's record. Anticipating a successful game, Brian Isreal approaches the field to prepare for the event.

Running for home plate, after a teammates single, this varsity baseball player hopes to beat the throw to the catcher.



He's OUT! Indian third baseman tags his opponent out as he tries to steal the base.



An Indian baseball player misses the fastball thrown by his opponent. Pitchers work on increasing the speeds of their pitches to fool the opponents they face during the season.

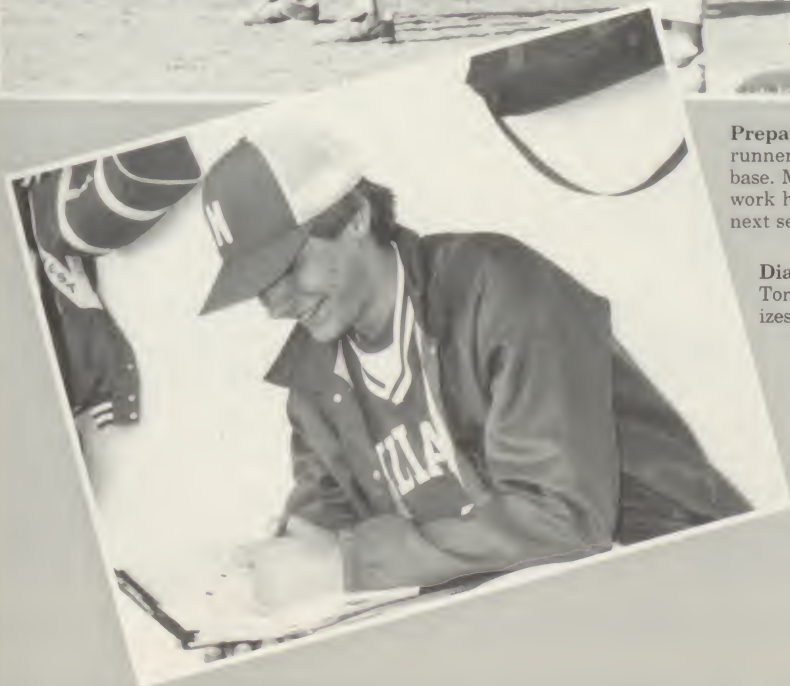
Anxiously awaiting their turn to bat, varsity baseball players cheer on their teammates that are on base.



Indian first baseman completes the double play by tagging the base. Members gave up many hours to perfect the techniques needed on routine ground balls.



Prepared to steal second, the Indian runner cautiously edges away from first base. Members of the junior varsity team work hard to compete at the varsity level next season.



Diagraming a new strategy, senior Tony Granatelli smiles slyly as he realizes that it will fool his opponents.

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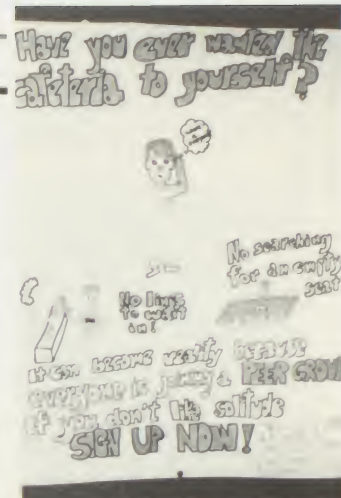
Pom Pon members wait for the snack bar to open so that their bake sale can begin. Sweets prepared at home make a large profit for these girls.

Academic Bowl (ak' ə-dem' ik bol) *n* 1. *only* bowling team that does not need special shoes 2. very smart toilet bowl 3. high school version of Jeopardy

Cheerleaders (chêr led' êrz) *n* 1. a free ride to every away game 2. girls who smile in their sleep 3. *only* girls who wear skirts in winter

Debate (di bat') *n* 1. club whose members are the travel agent's best friend 2. reason for students to say they attended Harvard 3. the big choice between Doritos and Nachos 4. excuse to miss school

West Word (west wurd) *n* 1. *only* literature seniors read second semester 2. *only* newspaper that give coupons and free hot dogs at Abe's



Posters throughout school urge students to join various clubs. Peer counseling attracts many members.



Senior Rachel Cohen debates over which snack to choose from. Cabinet members **Eric Biljetina** and **Danielle Chams** await a sale.

Student Union Lets The Good Times Roll!

If the daily bulletin trivia questions included such items as "How can the doldrums of everyday life be a bit more bearable?" "What can students do on a couple of Saturday nights- different from the usual ones?" "How are kids able to really display school spirit?", the members of Student Union would quickly respond with the correct answers.

Meeting every Wednesday and Friday, Student Union caters to the entire student body by involving a wide variety of students. "Student Union means the unifying of all the grade levels and the sharing of exciting ideas that make a full school week a bit more exciting," explains Student Union sponsor, Dave Brandes.

Planning all the meetings, working along with the members, officers Mindy Grossberg Nancy Penn, Yvonne Barazi and Karen Much work hard, often beyond school hours, to fulfill the desires of the Student Union and the entire school.

Student Union simply tries its best each year to prove to students that school can provide fun as well as learning!

Mindy Grossberg



Student Union: Front Row: Nancy Penn, Mindy Grossberg, Hilary Kaden, Yvonne Barazi, Karin Much. Second Row: Tracy Hirshman, Elliott Malkin, Josh Fienberg, Amy Berk, Lisa Marshfield, Katherine Ripley, Ilyce Shugall, Natalie Figura, Genevieve Rio, Richard Dubin, Dana Friedman, Susie Milsch. Third Row: Mike Kim, Lisa Schapira, Amy Cho, Joan Colletta, Linda Theotokatos, Senada Arabelovic, Mala Sabapathy, Elena Fen, Kari Tipton, Dori Shapiro, Kim Jenson, Chris Kim, Desey Tziortzis, Scott Toban. Fourth Row: I-Wen Liu, Helen Ress, Dimitra Saltouros, Grace Diaz, Lori Clark, Chris Puljic, Jaimie Altman, Nicole Benjamin, Rachel Lundstrom, Chris Biljetina, Heather Littwin, Huma Qureshi, Corey Dubin, Steve Rudin, Dave Brandes. Back Row: Heather Baer, Vicki Rappin, Jana Marinakis, Eric Orsic, Marc Geslani, Meredith Holt, Art Hortua, Brigitte Pintz, Kelly Sulejmani, Jerusha Torres, Julie Yoon, Erica Blustein.



Organizing and finalizing the meeting plan, Student Union officers Karin Much, Mindy Grossberg, Yvonne Barazi, and Nancy Penn gather around their notebooks. In order to get things done, meetings must be well planned.





Sponsor Dave Brandes gives final approval for a poster to decorate the halls. The group transformed the halls into an enormous Monopoly board.



With high spirits, the Student Union rallies forward in the Homecoming parade. Members of Union worked hard all week, and the parade was one last hurrah before the dance.

Freshmen Kari Tipton and Dana Friedman discuss ideas for Turnabout with fellow Student Union member, Josh Fienberg. The many new and exciting ideas bring happiness to all who attend.



Freshman cabinet cruises down the street during the Homecoming Parade. Homecoming gives freshmen a chance to show their school spirit.



Freshman Cabinet- Front row: Elena Fen, Natalie Figura, Katherine Ripley. Second row: Christine Faulkner, Touran Sassounes, Stephanie Pasignajen, Abigail Greene, Kelly Sulejmani, Jonathan Cornbleet. Third row: Denise Beegun, Laura Jun, Benita Kim, Wendy Liu, Kim Jenson, Heather Littwin. Fourth row: Ilyce Shugall, Susan Mils, Brigitte Pintz, Dorie Shapiro, Lisa Marshfield, Tammy Reznik, Rachel Borak. Back row: Donna Peterson, Manisha Patel, Kim Pickup, Dana Friedman, Tanja Samardzija, Heather Ichishita, Matt Saitta, Peter Hepner, Matt Weinstock, Brian Berkowitz, Steve Venn, Houtan Chaboki.

Senior Melissa Connell chooses among the delicious treats available at the bake sale. Sophomore cabinet member Vicki Rippin assists her in this decision.



Working For The Same Goal

Although the differences between freshmen and juniors seem great, their cabinets share the same main goal of preparing for Prom. Junior Cabinet makes all of the arrangements for Prom, but fundraising for this exhilarating activity begins in the freshman cabinet.

Although the freshmen had just started high school, the class cabinet did not let any time go to waste. Sponsor, Ms. Zucker added, "Officers were elected early this year which really helped us to get acquainted faster and also organized sooner." The freshman cabinet participated in the selling of Homecoming buttons, and to show spirit they built a float for the Homecoming Parade. President, Natalie Figura stated, "Our goal this year is to organize activities to involve the whole freshman class." Vice-president Elena Fen, secretary Katherine Ripley and treasurer Stephanie Pasignajen helped plan a variety of fundraisers to begin to build the treasury that will be used for Prom in the junior year.

After three years of hard work, the junior class cabinet readily took on the responsibility of the 1989 Prom as well as planning many other activities during the year. Preparing a successful junior-senior Prom takes a lot of fundraising and patience. To earn money, the Junior Cabinet sold candy and also held many bake sales at the snack bar. Besides Prom, the juniors also planned the ever-popular Talent Show, a Junior-Senior Volleyball Game, and the Twilight Dance after the homecoming game. Excited about her first year as sponsor, Ms. Perez stated, "I am really happy with the Junior Cabinet, it's great working with such hard-working students." President Grace Diaz, vice-president Daphne Mazarakis, secretary Tracy Pecs, and treasurer Steve Rudin, provided leadership for the active cabinet.

Three years of school separate the Freshmen and Junior Cabinets, but both exhibit class spirit and also the enthusiasm and energy that contribute to the making of Prom each year.



Junior class officers Grace Diaz and Tracy Pecs gather ideas for prom. Making the evening a special one is a long thoughtout process which begins with a theme.



Junior Cabinet- First row: Dimitra Saltouros, Ana Tobar, Ruth Bloom, Erica Blustein, Ann Argetsinger, Grace Diaz, Daphne Mazarakis, Karen Noesen, Anne Pullano, Ms. Perez. **Second row:** Yvonne Barazi, Iwen Liu, Dahlia Reznick, Carrie Gold, Steve Rudin, Tracy Pecs, Tracy Hirshman, Nicole Benjamin, Jaime Altman, Merzi Holt. **Back row:** Cory Dubin, Rodney Pintang, Adam Ebreo, Helen Ress, Joan Jovero, Andrea Gociman, Wendy Abragan, Amy Berk, Linda Hirata, Jana Marinakis, Lori Utanoff.



Front Row- Rummana Hussain, Robyn Nadick, Nicole Price, Jaimie Altman, Masha Alexander. **Second Row-** John Lally, Lisa Williams, Lisa Mittelman, Mark Geslani, Eric Orsic, Noel Deguzman. **Back Row-** Stacy Hosch, Susan Kreimer, Karin Much, Eric Phillips, Michelle Lewis, Jason Gelber, Mikhail Lyubansky, Jason Burk, Michael Havdala, Elliott Malkin.

Catching It All

The voice of the school — covering stories from the Presidential election to the controversial mascot issue, each staff member must have his ears open and typewriter handy to catch every juicy story that sets foot onto the West scene. It is the entire staff's responsibility to inform the students, faculty and administration of all the latest information from news to features, and editorials to sports.

Although a great amount of work is involved with producing a quality newspaper every two weeks, the staff members take pride in their efforts as sophomore reporter Elliott Malkin said, "It gives me a sense of accomplishment when I see my name printed over an article in the paper." Under the leadership of co-editors-in-chief Michelle Lewis and Mikhail Lyubansky, the staff consisted of reporters and page editors Karin Much and Rummana Hussain (news), Nicole Price (editorials), Masha Alexander and Eric Phillips (features), and Jason Burk and Stacy Hosch (sports). Photography editor Mike Havdala, along with photographers concentrated on organizing pictures and advertising director Marc Geslani on collecting ads. Several cartoonists also contributed their artwork to spice up the layouts.

With a surge of new reporters and editors and a redesigned name plate, the "West Word" successfully created 16 issues with a 10-page holiday issue and a special senior issue. Teamwork and cooperation are the essence of the publication's success and according to the "West Word" adviser Jerome Orr, the entire staff put in many hours beyond the allotted classroom time to publish a high quality newspaper.

Michelle Lewis



Searching for topics, Elliot Malkin looks through his folder for ideas. Writing for the West Word requires a lot of imagination.





Co-advertising director, Marc Geslani, carefully revises his work for the West Word. All editors and reporters check over stories and ads before sending them off to the printer.

Carefully editing a story, Michelle Lewis makes sure that the article is perfect. Finding and correcting errors helps make the school newspaper one of the best!



Finishing up a little newspaper business, Jerome Orr helps the staff in anyway he can. Sponsoring the publication proves to be a lot of work, but Mr. Orr always comes through!



Members of the West Word staff huddle around the computer. They often use it to store important information and work out the problems they encounter.

Senate members listen attentively as president Marc Geslani explains an issue the Board of Education faced at their last meeting.



Student Senate: Front row: Jason Szewczyk, Elliott Malkin, Rob Schaefer, Lesley Rhee, Hye-Won Chang, Christine Kim, Julie Yoon, Josh Fienberg. Second row: Lisa Mittelman, Lisa Virchinsky, Meredith Holt, Nicole Benjamin, Jaimie Altman, Dan Lieber, Anne Pullano, Megan Goldish, Genevieve Rio, Yoo Mee Whang, Janey Yu. Back row: Eric Orsic, John Thomas, Marc Geslani, Huma Qureshi, Wendy Abragan, Leyla Arsan, Kelly Sulejamani, Brigitte Pintz, Jana Marinakis, Grace Díaz, Abbie Greene, Vicki Rappin, Mike Kim, Sarah Murray, James Sweeney.

Senate Sessions Seek Improvement

The Student Council's legislative branch, the Student Senate, found the year full of challenges. Student Senate sought to improve the school condition, not by planning socials, but by addressing issues of policy. Senate worked with the administration in drafting and revising current policies. Student Senate held meetings on Mondays and Thursdays of each week to carry out their work. Vice president Eric Orsic stated, "The enjoyment of Senate comes from working to overcome the constant challenges which we are confronted with. Handling these obstacles and

achieving favorable outcomes beneficial for the student body are the primary goals of Senate." "It takes a real dedication to be in Senate," commented Senate President Marc Geslani, "Because the work that we do is not always fun, in the common sense our work is fun." Some of the issues the Senate dealt with this year were: the Indian Mascot, the Robinson Bus controversy, walkmans, and the problem with the bookstore. With hard work and dedication the Senate body made their mark on these pressing issues.





Executive members Eric Orsic and Marc Geslani conduct a Student Senate meeting in the multi-purpose room. The Indian issue was a major topic the senate dealt with during the year.



NiWeHi students exchange ideas about school policies with Marengo High School students. To complete the exchange program, Student Senate visited their high school in April.

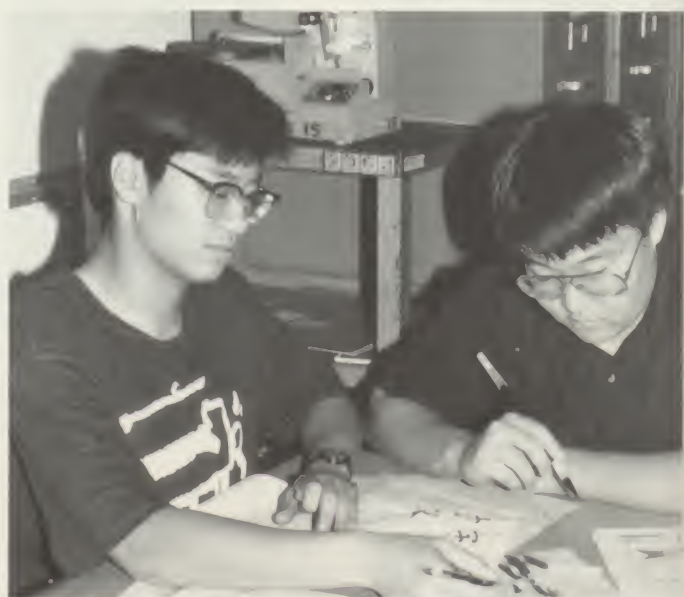


Chinese Club-Front row: Carol Simone, Sai-Man Law, Michael Yu, Allen Tsao, Corinna Law.



Learning Chinese calligraphy, senior Martin Stary considers the idea of teaching his newly acquired art to students and faculty. This new idea's purpose is to expose students and their teachers to the Chinese culture.

Polishing up on their calligraphy, sophomore Sai-Man Law and fellow club member Sung Kim take part in a Chinese Club activity. The club offers a chance for all students to experience new and different things.



Fundraising, an essential part in clubs, takes a lot of planning. Drawing posters, Korean club members advertise for their activity.

Keeping In Touch With Their Heritage

Learning the history and culture of other lands goes beyond the classroom for Korean and Chinese students who became aware of their heritage through ethnic clubs. For two years the Chinese and Korean clubs have provided both education and entertainment for their members.

For their third year, the Chinese Club made students and faculty more aware of Chinese culture. Along with the participation in the annual International Night, the members also created a dance party for the Chinese New Year. According to Micheal Yu, "As one of the international clubs we simply serve as a way for people to communicate with others who share interest in their culture." President Micheal Yu, Secretary Allen Tsao, and Treasurer Sai-man Law led members through another successful year which

included introducing Chinese Calligraphy and giving Chinese cooking lessons.

Korean club, another ethnic organization, focused on Korean current affairs. Officers decided to hold the monthly meetings in Korean for those members who do not understand English very well. Along with bake sales and participation in International Night, members played in an annual volleyball tournament sponsored by the Chicago Korean High School Association. During the Korean New Year, the club performed for the elderly in various nursing homes. Club Sponsor Angela Graham explained, "Through Korean club bake sales and performances at International Nights, staff and students of many backgrounds have come to appreciate Korean cuisine and culture, the vigor and elegance of an ancient civilization and a gracious

diligent and wise people." Under the direction of President Hyung Mi Bae, Vice-President Jaewoo Jeong, and Secretary/Treasurer Kathy Yim, the club attained many of their goals such as getting more students involved, helping new arrivals adjust to American culture, and meeting Korean students from neighboring schools.

Although these two clubs represent different cultures, they both contribute many activities which provide fun and learning for both members and non-members.

Marla Schrager



Korean Club- Front row: Hak Kang, Hye Won Chang, Kathy Yim, Connie Choi, Agnes Lee, Rea Song, Jung Eun Hwang, Sunny Hwang, Kang Hee Yook. Second row: Moo Jin Choi, Julie Yoon, Joo-Yup Lee, Benita Kim, Monica Lee, Hyun Jung Woo, Frank Kim, Susie Lee. Third row: Chester Lee, Seung Choi, Paul Choi, David Kim, Peter Kim, Laura Jun, Jeannie Kim, Sung Kang, Aera Chung, Tom Chung. Fourth row: Sam Kim, Martin Stary, Yoon Choi, So-Young Lee, Johnny Kim, Seung Lee, Jin Kim, Duk Kim, Mike Park. Back row: Hyung Mi Bae, Sok Kim, Jaewoo Jeong, Han Sang Kim, Yung Yu, Byung Choi, Jae Seung Han, Joe Chung, Sung Kim, Paul Yo, Sai-man Law, Marsha Chang, Esther Bae.

Korean Club Officers Esther Bae and Hak Kang lead a meeting after school. The Korean club participates in Volleyball tournaments with other clubs throughout the year.





French Club-Front row: Christine Kim, Yiwen Chang, Ali Kwon, Shirley Choi, Meredith Holt, Leyla Arsan, Veronica Nulman, **Second row:** June Oh, Maggie Liosatos, Karin Much, Hilary Rubick, Erica Christianson, Hyun Woo, Adriana Halbac, Melissa Ohlson, Seh Jin Han, Susie Kim, Ansa Qureshi, **Back row:** Charles Larenas, Yvonne Barazi, Megan Goldish, Huma Qureshi, Andreea Gociman, Susan Kreimer, Mary Tzotzolis, Dina Grammas, Pam Katsules, Ruth Bloom, Rachel Fleming.

During a meeting of the French Club, treasurer Andreea Gociman and president Yiwen Chang discuss what to do for International Night. The club decided on a mock fashion show for the evening.

Amused by the new idea they proposed, club members Megan Goldish, Yvonne Barazi and Karin Much take time out from the meeting. Clubs allow students to get acquainted with others who share the same interests.



Planning for their annual luncheon, German club president Christina Gabriel discusses the program with the members. As one of the largest ethnic clubs, German club's spirit continues each year.



Before the meeting, club members congregate to discuss new ideas. From week to week students come up with new and different ideas for the organization.

Germans Celebrate CULTURE

"Am dreiBigsten Mai ist der Weltuntergang!
Wir leben nicht mehr lang. Wir leben nicht mehr lang!"

A sweet melody accompanies the lyrics of this song, which seem dreary at first, telling of the nearing of the end of the world. Melancholy does not typify German attitudes, however, so the lyrics change and become ironic. The first verse expresses somewhat of a horror, "We won't be living much longer." Reflecting their optimistic attitude, the verse changes, "But nobody knows in what year the world will end, and that's wonderful! Perhaps we'll be here for many years still!" The joy of living is expressed most thoroughly by Germans' commitment to celebrating, which they promise to do in ending this song.

German teacher George Brink, or "Herr Brink," leads his classes in singing festive songs, but classes alone do not provide enough time for culture lessons. Students gain a better understanding of German culture through participation in the German club, singing songs and planning activities pertaining to German culture. Club members, led by president Christina Gabriel, planned a trip to see a German film, visit a German neighborhood in Chicago, and eat lunch and desserts at a German pastry shop. At International Night, the German club sang traditional German Carols, such as "O Tannenbaum." A winter ski trip brought members together for a day of pure enjoyment on the slopes, a common activity of Germans in the southern, mountainous Bavaria.

The German club builds up its treasury with popular bake sales each year, using some of the money to help fund the German Exchange Program. According to Christina Gabriel, "The German club offers students the opportunity to explore a different culture through activities and allows students with a common interest in the German background to get together and enjoy themselves.

Nikoletta Antonakos

German Club - First row: Kristina Hugel, Chris Wright, Maria Wright, Christina Gabriel, Beatrice Revelins, Shirley Choi, Miki Vucic, Yoo Mee Whang, Ali Kwon, Joe Chung, Jeannie Kim. **Second row:** Mr. Brink, Sharon Bak, Karrie Karahalios, Pauline Koffman, Sameena Shamim, Joan Jovero, Marc Roccaforte, Earl Wurthmann, Stratos Kalamaris, Michael Yu, Tom Chung, Heidi Stadler, Carrie Kim, Darlene Berkovitz, Tina Heller, Alaina Elmer, Susanne Stadler, Yung Yu. **Back row:** Monica Lee, Heidi Schneider, Cynthia Ong, Janine Breit, Donica Weinberg, Mark Budzik, Mark Buisseret, Tai Nakabayashi, Michael Park, Damon Park, Jason Feehan, Charles Larenas.





Waiting for the Filipino club meeting to begin, members get a chance to chat. Joining clubs gives teens an opportunity to improve their knowledge of common interests.



Filipino Club- Front row: Vivien Lamadrid, Lorel Zaide, Michelle Mallorca, Stephanie Passignajen, Michelle Adaya, Wendy Abragan. **Second row:** Barbara Abragan, Rosette Cordero, Laura Jimenez, Vanessa Flores, Aimee Delfin, Gaylyn Hortelano, Fehlyn Tulen, Ed Fernandez. **Third row:** Johnny Kim, Edson Fernandez, Maria Castro, Jess Deguzman, Joe Delfin, Noel Deguzman, Ever Deguzman, May Delasalas, Jade Tulen, June Rosales, Jodie Espinosa. **Back row:** Ritchie Cordero, Marc Geslani, Ares Ebreo, Matthew Odirakallumkal, Fritzie Repique, Roger Valdez, Jed Arroqante, Adam Ebreo, Arnold Cruz, Ed Murphy.

With intense concentration, senior Mike Havdala pours himself a glass of soda. Before the Israeli club meeting begins, members often enjoy a drink to quench their thirst.



Culture And Politics Highlight Israeli & Filipino Clubs

To have a better understanding and appreciation of another culture, students join various ethnic clubs which provide a chance to meet friends with similar interests and engage in social activities. Both the Israeli Club and the Filipino Club attract a large membership each year.

The Israeli Club teaches students about the culture, religion, and politics of Israel. Members enjoy a field trip with Niles North in the middle of the year, and participate enthusiastically in International Night. During

meetings, some members practice their Hebrew while others socialize and ponder situations occurring in Israel. Club sponsor Dr. Miron, who feels that students benefit by their membership in the Israeli Club commented, "A culture club is a place where the student can get involved emotionally, intellectually, and physically with the people, the culture, and the land of the respective nation of which the club is its extension. In that respect, the Israeli Club fulfills the need of each participant, regardless of his or her original back-

ground."

"Mabuhay sa inyong lahat!" might sound familiar only to members of the popular Filipino Club who read that as, "A good life to all of you!" Filipino Club members enjoy active participation in school-sponsored events, while gaining a better understanding and appreciation of the Filipino culture. President Fehlyn Tulen stated, "Thanks to the large membership we have, and the abundance of enthusiasm in our group, we were able to participate in more activities than we have in the past."

Bake sales, International Night, Volleyball games and bowling, name just a few of the many activities of this club. During meetings, this close-knit group, with the support of new sponsor Edmund Murphy, discuss history, politics, and current situations of the Philippines.

Members of both Israeli and Filipino Clubs, really appreciate the benefits of belonging to an ethnic club where they can gain a better understanding of a different culture and make new friends too.

Megan Goldish



Eyeing the doughnuts closely guarded by Mr. Miron, Inna Feldman waits for the right moment to grab one. When the business of Israeli club is done, a break is welcome and deserved.



Israeli Club- Front row: Amy Berk, Mike Havdala, Jay Rosenbaum, Nicole Price, Marc Slutzky. Back row: Mr. Miron, Corey Stern, Tracy Irishman, Lauren Wagner, Mirav Tsubely, Inna Feldman, Charna Krei-ont, Veronica Nulman, Megan Goldish, Robin Rosenbaum.

Spanish Groups Keep Busy

Eating, talking and learning about the Spanish heritage are some of the activities of the Spanish Honor Society, sponsored by Mr. Ed Murphy and Ms. E. Perez who look forward to working with the students in this organization. The students also react very positively to their new leaders. "Senorita Perez has brought a new appeal and outlook to the club", says Sophia Shakir. Members feel equally excited about the club itself. According to Senior Mike Latash, "The Spanish Honor Society gives its members a chance to explore Span-

ish and Latin American Culture in depth and to find out exactly what is behind all the things we have been learning about all these years."

The Spanish Club has participated in many honorable activities such as donating to the Mexican Flood Emergency relief fund and also donating time and Christmas gifts to underprivileged hispanic children at Casa Central Day Care Center. Senior President Xyla Gatilao adds, "What you get out of Spanish Club is beyond classroom verb conjugation. Here one can experience and taste a

little Spanish culture. To be able to communicate with a child who could only speak Spanish is lots of fun!" The club also provides a chance of its members to form new friends and relationships. "Spanish Club allows students to meet and talk to others who share a common interest. Ethnic clubs are one of the best ways to learn about other cultures, outside of visiting the country.", added secretary Nicole Price.

Anthony Stegich

Spanish Club- First row: Anne Seymour, Tammy Rio, Amy Ryan, Mala Sabapathy. Second row: Mr. Beavers, Seh Jin Han, Barbara Abagan, Rosette Cordero, Dawn Mukai, Julie Yoon, Shoma Chatterjee, Carmen Navarro, Xyla Gatilao. Third row: Renata Fumic, Ericka Ariza, Julie Yoon, Jana Marinakis, Tirso Oliveres, Monica Batistita, Diana Chang, Robin Yu, Mr. Johnson. Back row: Touran Sassounes, Charles Larenas, Patty Tzortzis, Randy Feldman, Dave Morris, Sherri Miller, Wendy Abagan, Eunice Baek, Mr. Fontana.



A dedicated member works diligently to complete a bake sale poster for the Spanish Club. The money earned throughout the year is used to promote their activities.



Discussing future club activities. Spanish club officers Gaylyn Hortelano, Nicole Price, Xyla Gatilao, and Carmen Navarro conduct their meeting after school. The Spanish Club visited Casa Central, a day care center for children, during the holiday season.



Seniors **Sundry Thompson** and **Senada Arabelovic** discuss upcoming Spanish Honors Society plans. Spanish Honors Society is just one of the many organizations for students to involve themselves in school activities.



Spanish Honor Society's sponsor **Miss Perez**, shuffles papers in search of the agenda for the next meeting. A sponsor's work is never done.



Spanish National Honor Society - Front row: **Claudia Halbac**, **Maria Raucci**, **Shoma Chatterjee**, **Senada Arabelovic**, **Michael Latash**. Back row: **Xyla Gatilao**, **Leanne Statland**, **Ji Sun Kim**.

Awaiting the next question, team members Yiwen Chang, Marc Slutzky, and Suzanne Ahn are ready! In this meet, they competed against Evanston.



During a practice session, academic bowl members test their knowledge by group discussions and by the use of computers. Practice is necessary for the team to compete with other local schools.

The Brainy Bunch

"Bzzzzzzzz," sounds the buzzer, pressed by a member of the Academic Bowl team, to indicate willingness to answer the question. A competition based on a quick hand and a quicker mind, has captivated eligible juniors and seniors.

The competition can be conducted in one of two ways. Traditionally, teams of five students from different schools compete in a buzzer contest to see how quickly and correctly questions can be answered. The team with the most points, based on speed and accuracy, advances to the next round. In another type of competition, known as the AUK competition, a large group of students gathers around a computer, which runs a disk with the AUK questions. The schools that score in the top of this nationwide competition receive various prizes, such as money or a trip.

A new contest called the STARS 2000 High School Academic Team Competition combines the two methods. Computer controlled rounds, similar to the AUK contest, begin the competition. If a team scores in the top 50% on the first round, it advances to the second. After the second round, the top sixteen teams nationwide advance to Lexington, Kentucky, where a buzzer round completes the contest. Second, third, and fourth place winners receive an IBM computer for their school and the top placing team gets \$10,000 for their school.

Marcia Tiersky



Academic Bowl - Front row: Ken Zeff, Jason Burk, Ian Katznelson, Joel Fogelson. Second row: Jason Szweczyk, Marc Slutzky, Matt Reznik. Back row: Mr. Geis, Mike Latash, Eric Hayes, Jim Peroulas, Jay Rosenbaum.

"Delinquents?" On The Contrary - NHS Members

An everyday, indistinguishable student passed by the Multi-Purpose Room after school one day and noticed a huge mob of students inside, creating an incredible fuss. He wondered what organization it was, then reconsidered and decided the detention hall had been moved to house the large number of delinquents he saw. He proceeded down the hallway pondering the terrible situation the supervising teacher would have to deal with. Meanwhile, in the Multi-Purpose Room, Mrs. Horwitz and Mrs. Handler struggled to quiet the "delinquents." Everyone settled down, and a meeting of members of the National Honor Society began, quite the opposite of a meeting of delinquents.

The National Honor Society, NHS, has an unusually large number of members, reflecting the talent of this year's senior class. More than 70 students have been inducted to the society, despite the strict criteria for membership. Students must demonstrate a high level of scholarship and participation through activities in the school and must also possess records free from incidents of cheating or improper behavior.

Pledging themselves to maintain these standards, NHS members support charitable activities such as a holiday food drive, the Crusade of Mercy, and a spring blood drive. Other activities such as a fall volleyball tournament provide enjoyment for members, while raising funds for charities, and reflect the society's desire to blend academic achievements with athletics, since many members hold interest in both.

Under the guidance of Mrs. Handler and Mrs. Horwitz, NHS has sought to become more active and more recognized. A fall induction ceremony especially aimed at underclassmen, who may be inspired by the image and strive to gain the standards of members in the NHS, presented a strong, positive image of NHS. "NHS, through the guidance of our sponsors, will leap into full school participation and will hopefully stand out with deserved recognition," asserted James Lee, who, along with Scott Toban, Matt Reznik, and president Suzanne Ahn leads this prestigious group.

Each member of NHS has pride in his accomplishments and involvement with NHS, and each time he dons his blue t-shirt displaying the gold emblem designed by Hak Kang, he has a renewed sense of self respect. James Lee concluded, "The marked difference in this year's NHS is that we're willing to stand out and be recognized rather than run our activities from the background shadow."

Nikoletta Antonakos

NHS- Front row: Maria Wright, Joe Chung, Parveen Najiullah, Mindy Grossberg, Heather McCulloh, Jeannie Choi, Ali Kwon, Carl Helwing, James Lee. **Second row:** April Grandinetti, Marsha Chang, Susan Quach, Jeannie Kim, Miki Vucic, Lisa Vetra, Lisa Virchinsky, Becka Shipp. **Third row:** Jason Burk, Kevin Kiedaisch, Beata Saletnik, Jessica Dickstein, Scott Toban, Harry Yoon, Shirley Choi. **Fourth row:** Suzanne Ahn, Shoma Chatterjee, Tecla Annes, Mike Latash, Eric Orsic, Richard Dubin, Christine Kim, Beth Lichtenstein, Sophia Shakir. **Back row:** Matt Reznik, Ritchie Cordero, Frank Kim, Marty Bach, Randy Feldman, Jason Szewczyk, Niki Antonakos, Dave Burkhart, Dave Morris, Mikhail Lyubansky, Jay Rosenbaum, Jaewoo Jeong, Claudia Halbac, Eric Phillips, Michelle Lewis, Bob Burns, Amy Flack, Christina Gabriel, Melissa Ohlson, Susan Kreimer, Javier Vargas, JiSun Kim, John Liu, Brett Youstra, Joel Fogelson, Sharon Hwang, Ansa Qureshi.



Prairie People

Although ecology club acquaints students interested in nature with the prairie, it also teaches the members about various natural ecosystems found in northern Illinois. Members participate in various field trips to places such as Indiana Dunes, Starved Rock, the Field Museum, Brookfield Zoo, and Cantigny. According to club sponsor Gerald Firak, "We take students to places they ordinarily would not go by themselves." Besides going on field trips, the members also tend to the nearby prairie preserves by burning it and replanting it with different types of wild flowers and plants found in northern Illinois. Unfortunately this valuable club may die out unless interested students replace the departing seniors. Ecology club, which has been around since the 1960's, has proved to be of great value to both students and faculty.

Michael Havdala

Ecology Club- Front Row: Hyung Kim, Tom Chung, Allen Tsao, Israel Behar.
Back Row: April Sebastian, Sung Park, Jacob Idichandy, Rick Miller, Gerald Firak, Edson Fernandez.



Members of the Ecology Club slowly climb down a hill. Their many field trips enrich the entire club experience.

Club sponsor, Gerald Firak points out an ecological find. Members of the Ecology Club look to their sponsor for help in understanding their endeavors.





Medical Careers Club- Front row: Karim Khoja, Tom Patrianakos. Second row: Rita Kay, Elise Grandinetti, Shoma Chatterjee, Leanne Furno, Lesley Rhee, Deborah Kang.



Searching through boxes of pamphlets, senior Shoma Chatterjee gathers information for the Great American Smoke-Out. The members of the Medical Careers club work together to learn about their future careers.

Our Own Club Med

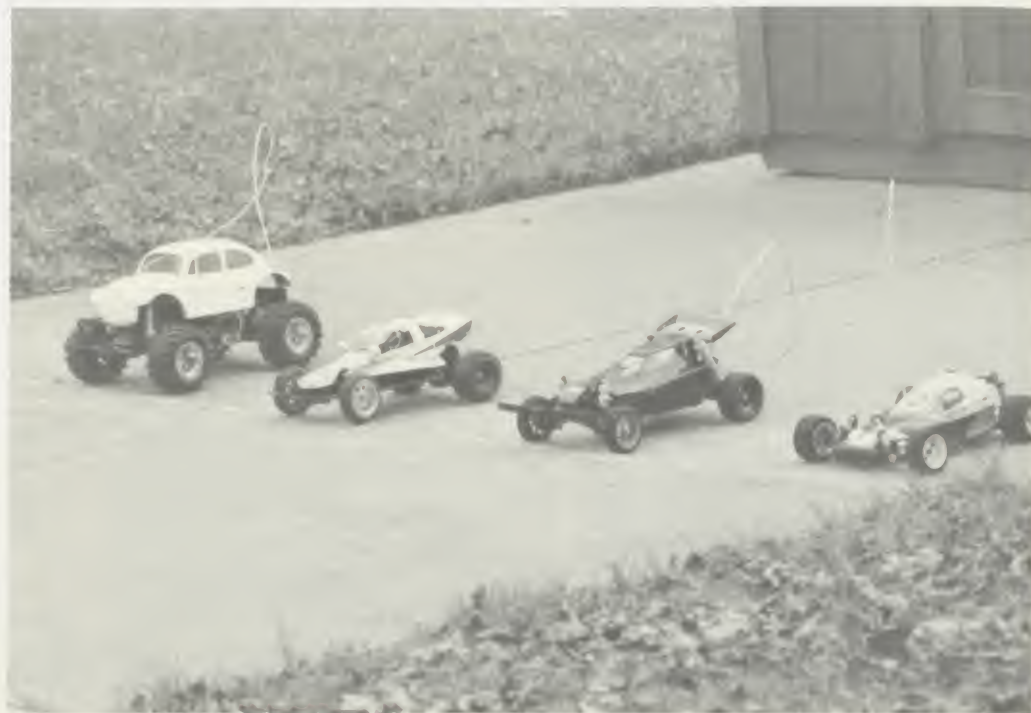
To learn about their future careers, many students join the small but active Medical Careers Club. Through field trips, speakers, and films, members learn about the medical profession.

Students receive a guided tour by one of the medical staff at Lutheran General Hospital where they visit the departments most interesting to them. The club also has programs about getting into medical school, being medical students, and choosing possible careers. These future doctors, nurses, and medical technicians also watch films pertaining to their future careers. "The club is a good opportunity for students who are interested in medical careers to get together," commented sponsor Rita Kay.

Medical Careers Club also holds fundraisers for the American Cancer Society. Every year the club puts up posters and hands out pamphlets for the American Cancer Society Smoke-Out and Bike-A-Thon to raise money for the American Cancer Society.

Through the years, the membership of Medical Careers Club has been dwindling, but the club hopes to increase membership by having more special events such as speakers, field trips, and fundraisers. Although fewer in number, the Medical Careers Club members remain as active as always.

Deborah Kang



Ready, set, go! The Radio Controlled Cars get ready to roll. Practice runs and races make the after school meetings fun for all!



Radio Control Car Club- Front row: Nick Jameson, Tim Sauerman, Bill Włodarczyk, Back row: Mike Powers, Allen Rossow, Tom Włodarczyk.

Zooming his car down the hall, Paul Rainyn gets ready for his big race in the Radio Controlled Club. The club was started last year.

Always In Control

Although cars racing down the school halls at high speed would surprise most students, members of the year-old Radio Controlled Car Club consider this a common sight.

Informally structured with action-packed meeting, the club brings friends together to rap about the latest "R.C." car tips and race their cars against each other. "The RC Car Club gives us something in the way of competition," commented officer Timothy Sauerman.

Racing and rapping do not cover all of the club's features. Junior Dennis Peterson explained another aspect of the club, "For some, the RC Club is very educational. Everyone gets to see how other cars are built and run."

Nicole Price





Checking out a negative in the light, photography club members smile proudly at their work. The group met after school to practice and discuss their skills.

Shutterbugs

"What type of film was used?" "What was your shutter speed?" "That is a great shot!" These are some common remarks heard at a typical meeting of the Niles West Photo Club.

The photo club, which meets every other Tuesday, is a great way for anyone even slightly interested in photography to express their ideas and creativity. Members critique other students' work by offering comments on the picture composition and developing techniques.

The club, with science teacher John Beftink as a sponsor, is open to all grade levels. There are currently more than 20 participants. It provides members with the opportunity to meet with fellow students who share an interest in photography.

Members are allowed to use the school darkroom during club time or the students' free time. The darkroom is a luxury for students who usually do not have access to one. It is a fantastic way to gain knowledge about darkroom techniques.

The club sponsors an annual photo contest in which color and black and white prints are accepted. It is open to all students at Niles West as well as faculty members.

Photography is a great way to show everyone how you see the world. If 20 photographers were given an assignment to shoot the same thing, you would get 20 different shots. The pictures would vary in angle, view and composition. Each would tell a different story based on the style of the photographer.

Since Niles West does not offer photography courses as a part of their classroom curriculum, the Photo Club gives its participants the chance to develop their own pictures, build a portfolio of their work and develop friendships with other "shutterbugs."

Stacy Hosch



Photography Club- First row: Kerri Amodeo, Carrie Leeds, Mindi Rosenbaum, Julie Justesen, Heidi Schneider, Adriana Halbac, Monica Lee, Hyun Jung Woo, Melba Castillo. **Second row:** Kim Pickup, Dawn Mukai, Heather Ichishita, Seh Jin Han, Sylvia Rivero. **Back row:** Jordan Light, Michael Havdala, Lisa Fischbach, John Beftink, Melissa Ohlson, Donna Wezio, Stacy Hosch.



Brainstorming for slogan ideas, juniors Debbie Brodsky and Tracy Hirshman get a corner of the room to themselves. Ideas have to be short, catch people's attention, and get the message across.



With great enthusiasm, Leyla Arsan shares her poster with the group. All the posters turned in for the holiday contest were judged by SADD officers.

Not A Sad Story, But A SADD Story

Crashed cars, key chains, and campaigns don't do it all for S.A.D.D. Hard work, time, and most importantly people, makes Students Against Driving Drunk grow in size and power each year.

When prom time rolls around, everyone expects the wrecked car out on the lawn, but this year SADD members sponsored a campaign during the holidays, before winter break and celebrated SADD Day. They decorated the walls with the posters and slogans from a chapter-wide contest for the holiday campaign. For SADD Day, face paint was used to write on members' faces. The club also represented the school at a community crime prevention display in Skokie. All in all, SADD acquired new members, used new ideas, and, best of all, got its message across to more people. SADD secretary, Karin Much, commented, "Students Against Driving Drunk is worthwhile because it helps people and saves lives, while informing the public of the dangers of drinking and driving. The thing that people should realize is that SADD's purpose is not to tell people not to drink. We just don't want people to drink and drive."

Yvonne Barazi



Front Row- Linda Hirata, Karin Much, Tracy Hirshman, Debbie Brodsky, Tracy Pecs. **Second Row-** Carrie Kim, Huma Qureshi, Jerusha Torres, Katherine Kouris, Donna Peterson, Tony Pusateri. **Back Row-** Mr. Puff, Yvonne Barazi, Jeff Meunier, Kevin Leeds, Lisa Tepper, Charles Larenas, Eric Biljetina, Danielle Chams.

On his way in, senior Greg Burdo asks for a contract. The contract states that the students will not drink and drive and will call for a ride if they need one.

Signing in before a meeting, SADD members rush, in order to get a seat. The club was guided under the leadership of Mr. Puff.





Members gather around as David Lee calls the meeting to order. Besides the fun and games, a lot of business must be taken care of at meetings.

Peer Counseling advisor David Lee explains the new game to students. New friendships are born through this club.



Peer Counseling-Front row: Ana Tobar, Ms. Zucker, Mike Harman, Megan Goldish, Ken Zeff, Nicole Price, Katherine Born, Lisa Vetra, Lisa Virchinsky. **Second row:** Ivy Kron, Yvonne Barazi, Karin Much, Meredith Holt, Lori Utanoff, Lauren Wagner, Shoma Chatterjee, Michelle Lewis, Ansa Qureshi, Donna Wezio. **Back row:** Christine Kim, Carmen Navarro, David Lee, Tracy Hirshman, Lisa Tepper, Marc Jacobs, Mindy Grossberg, Grace Diaz, Julie Mizock, Sue Kreimer.



Peering In On The Group

Although friends commonly sit around talking about current happenings, Peer Groups take this activity one step further. Student Leadership / Peer Counseling began four years ago when social worker David Lee held the first training meeting with twenty-five students. Because teen-agers can strongly influence each other, the Peer Group goal as stated in their handbook, is "channeling this peer influence in a positive, growth-producing direction, attempting to help teens develop a more positive self-concept and social skills, make good judgments, and become more responsible."

Students interested in leading groups learn important tools of communication such as feedback, paraphrasing, summarizing, and body language. After training one hour after school for twenty weeks, students qualify to pass on their new knowledge. Subgroups of five to ten teens and two leaders meet during their free time, lunch or study hall.

The Peer Group program now consists of fifty-five leaders. In addition to learning communication skills and engaging in fun energizers, the groups have many open-ended discussions that cover a wide range of topics and interests.

Donna Wezio

Before the meeting begins, members Tracy Hirshman, Donna Wezio and Rachel Garland discuss things that came up in their groups. Group leaders are always present to help each other and give advice.





Leaders Pave The Way

Helping other students improve their fitness and physical skills, kept Leaders in the P.E. program busy. Leaders had the opportunity to test individual leadership and teach their peers. Member Jaye Jao stated, "Leaders is really a lot of fun. You learn to be responsible and at the same time help out the P.E. teachers conduct class."

The sponsors of the Leaders program, Bill Schnurr and Lee Heeren, both agree that Leaders gym benefits both students and teachers. The physical education staff greatly appreciates the help of the Leaders. Besides leading exercises, and demonstrating techniques in classes they "lead", the leaders also attend a daily gym class made up of only leaders, where they all compete. Junior Leader Rachel Berman enjoys being a leader because she has met a lot of new people. She also stated, "I just wish more people would get involved in the program."

Rodney Pintang

Leaping through the air, senior Calvin Ramseyer practices his spikes. Ramseyer helps underclassmen during gym as a physical education leader.

Leaders-Front Row- Matt Odirakal-lumkal, James Lee, Carl Helwing, Derek Pedraza, Owen Masterton, Rose Olea, May Delasalas, Calvin Ramseyer, Bill DeAcetis, Peggy Campbell. **Second Row-** Bob Pine, Tony Klancnik, Kristi Lall, Sundy Thompson, Gayle Hortelano, Kelli Lochner, Heather McCulloh, Linda Sax, Tammi Kramer, Marny Pierini, Jamie Weisman. **Third Row-** Mikhail Lyubansky, Adam Telengater, Jason Burk, Fehlyn Tulen, Sherine Khoshaba, Chris Brown, Ali Kwon, Ansa Qureshi, Lisa Vetra, Donna Wezio, Miki Vucic. **Back Row-** Ken Smith, Bert Mohrdieck, Rachel Posner, Andy LaLiberty, Melinda Hepner, Halina Orawiec, Melissa Ohlson, Becky Hansen.



Tutors To The Rescue

Sweating through many hours of difficult study can leave one doubtful of his or her own abilities. Therefore, to eliminate this problem, many students turn to members of the tutor's club. Students seeking help sign up at the Foreign Language Resource Center for an appointment during the day or after school with one of the thirty-five members of this club. According to club advisor Mrs. Horwitz, the most common requests are in chemistry, geometry and algebra, as well as other math and science courses.

Senior JiSun Kim commented, "When I tutor people, I find I enjoy helping others when they ask seek my help." Summing it up, senior Susan Quach expressed, "It gives the tutorer and the student a feeling of accomplishment after each appointment."

Millie Kaufman



Tutors Club- Front row: Jeannie Kim, Shoma Chatterjee, Michelle Lewis, Millie Kaufman, Mike Dizon. Back row: Mike Latash, Leanne Statland, JiSun Kim, Elan Jackson, Kevin Kiedaisch.



Signing in for an assignment, senior Parveen Najiullah offers her help to fellow students. The tutors are a great resource for people requiring help in almost any subject.

Concentrating intently on the problem, sophomore Debbie Kang looks to tutor Millie Kaufman for help. Sessions before, after, and during school are available for students' convenience.





Arms out and flying through the air, students give it their all learning a dance for **FAME**. Theater tryouts always have a large turnout.



While junior Amy Borys signs up for **Fame**, fellow juniors Meredith Holt and Nicole Benjamin wonder if they should also try out. **FAME**, a student produced musical played for sell-out crowds.

Thespians- Front row; Jennifer Collins, Carl Helwing, Pascale Trouillot, Beth Lichtenstein, Kirsten Gieler. Back row: Becky Hansen, Yuri Keegstra, Melinda Hepner, Maggie Duffy, Kevin Steele, Mindy Weberman.



On With The Show

Composed of energetic students who have participated in a minimum of three shows crew, Thespians bring together enthusiastic drama students. In order to attend the annual International Theater Arts Conference held in Muncie, Indiana, members hold various fundraising activities including several bake sales.

All extracurricular clubs need student executives. Thespians leaders include President Beth Lichtenstein, Vice-President Kirsten Gieler, Pascale Trouillot, secretary; and Carl Helwing, treasurer. Cindy Philbin takes the role of crew director, and Mr. Robert Johnson provides adult leadership.

The successful theater productions staged by Thespians include: Pow Wow's "Fame" a performance written, and directed by the students; the musical "Grease" directed by Mr. Robert Johnson; the spring play directed by Mr. James Batts; and the children's theater's production of "Androcles and the Lion."

Thespians share fun and excitement as well as hard work and time to make each show "The Greatest Show on Earth!"



Concert Choir-Front row: Stacy Pilouris, Michelle Schoknecht, Kelly Hogan, Judy Gutierrez, Robin Yu, Colleen Huang. **Second row:** Elena Zarifopoulos, Davita Levin, Mary Liu, Olga Vydra, Deborah Kang, Deepa Achettu, Rachel Mathai, Jean Joffe. **Third row:** Marjana Denic, Sora Kim, Jackie Schauwecker, April Sebastian, Faith Tulen, Hyung Pom Kim, Nicole Fortuna, Amy Roma, Hae Shin Yoo. **Fourth row:** Kaye Seeber, Michelle Stiegel, Michelle Sakolsky, Meg Kodie, Mike Powers, Kirsten Gieler, Ken Van Mersbergen, Michelle Kamenear, Haidee Gordula, Seung Eun Choi, Jackie Katzman. **Back row:** Karen Miller, Dawn Angus, Mindy Weberman, Lisa Leander, Peter Hepner, Karen Guthrie, Julie Pollack, Pascale Trouillot, Georgia Karras.



Expressions-Front row: Laila Stein, Beth Lichtenstein, Sandy Delgado, Michelle Strykowski, Julie Doyle, Rose Olea, Jenny Collins. **Second row:** Melinda Hepner, Barbara Bou-boutsis, Gwen Costa, Anne Humphrey, Allen Gutterman, Beth Remillard, Adam Telegngater, Joan Colletta. **Third row:** Dina Seung, Julie Wiltgen, Joe Delfin, Fritzie Repique, Kirsten Gieler, Maggie Duffy, Keef Weinstein, Josh Medow, Raquel Olea. **Fourth Row:** Esther Bae, David Lieb, Lisa Warden, Carl Helwing. **Back row:** Carrie Kim, Marc Jacobs, May Delasalas, Tim Queen, Kevin Steele, Hyun Soo Kim, Yuri Keegstra.



Girls Ensemble-Front row: Rochelle Landicho, Aileen Tulen, Tatjana Stojnic, Debbie Rosenberg. **Second row:** Stacy Stathis, Allison Clark, Katina Kouris, Noriko Yamaguchi, Niki Dubian. **Third row:** Jessica Lundsberg, Jenny Leon, Sang Eun Song, Linda Prinz. **Back row:** Terri Richardson, Anna Hachmeister, Elena Fen, Julie Yoon, Susie Lee.



Girls Ensemble-Front row: Ingrid Abrudeanu, Denise Beegun, Melissa Edwards. **Second row:** Dannai Turos, Tanja Samardzija, Sherry Henry, Anna Knobel, Cindy Lee, Kim Meidell, Kirsten Carlsen. **Third row:** Chung Cha, Aimee Delfin, Olga Papaioannou, Mandy Harris, Michele Jaanimagi. **Back row:** Sheila Huang, Vanessa Flores, Julie Cobalovic, Toulia Virvilos.



For the fall concert, chorus member Karen Guthrie carves the face onto a pumpkin. The fall concert, held in the cafeteria, usually sets the precedent for the choral department.



Two Noted Groups

Making music throughout the year, Chorus and Orchestra, share their talent with the school and Walt Disney World this year. Expressions, Concert Choir, and Girls' Ensemble make up the choral group Ensemble. With the exception of Girls' Ensemble, the chorus toured Orlando, Florida to perform at EPCOT Center and Disney World. "After three years in chorus, I've seen it grow into a very organized group. This year, the chorus was very strong. We're singing music ranging from classical to jazz and our choreography is energetic and fits the music." commented senior Kevin Steele. Many people said that chorus was a great experience because they learned a lot while enjoying themselves. Sheri Owens summed it up by saying, "This year has been a great one. We peaked with our awesome Florida Tour."

The Chorus accompanied the Orchestra on their tour of Florida. They won the Homecoming float contest for the fifth consecutive year. Orchestra President Xyla Gatilao expressed, "With the majority of the Orchestra being seniors, we looked to this year's Florida tour as an special memorable experience." According to most orchestra members, this year is not only special because of the tour. It's special to them because Ted Kaitchuck, orchestra leader, will retire at the end of the school year. He concluded, "My desire is for all my students to continue music as both performers professionally, or as amateurs to enhance their lives through the arts."

Millie Kaufman
Debbie Kang



Orchestra-Front Row- Tecla Annes, Janine Breit, Ji Sun Kim, Tammy Robertson, Xyla Gatilao, Leanne Statland, Stephanie Berger, Julia Paphitis. **Second Row-** Sharon Bak, Jonathan Breitzer, Vickie Karkazis, Yvette Gatilao, Elan Jackson, Ann Choi, Seh Jin Han, Gaylyn Hortelano, John Jung, Jasmina Belic, Jennifer McGeary, Janey Yu, Shirley Choi. **Third Row-** Jeannie Kim, Pauline Koffman, Alexis Adler, Dana Friedman, James Han, Beatrise Revelins, Grace Tsau, Susie Kim, Alison Presley, George Chen, Vivien Lamadrid, Flavio Rocha, Jennifer Simon. **Fourth row-** Calvin Ramseyer, Amy Majmundar, Frank Kim, Nancy Lim, Donica Weinberg, Sue Park, Jennifer Spreitzer, Laura Sosnowski. **Back row-** Mr. Ted Kaitchuck, Suzanne Bohigian, Maria Wright, Melissa Weiss, David Morris, Joseph Chung, Randy Feldman, David Burkhart, Patty Tzortzis, Eric Oseland, Brian Richards, Jerry Gianakakos, Mike Spiropoulos, Greg Weinberg, Mike Mooshey, Jon Rosenthal, Joel Fogelson, Brian VanMersbergen, Chris Wright, Betsy Jordan, Aaron Boyles, Ken Smith.

Marching And Keeping In Step

Improving more and more every day and growing in size each year, the color guard and marching band add an exciting touch to school activities.

Long, hard hours of practice on Tuesdays help prepare the color guard for home-game performances. Their waving flags, smiling faces, and bright uniforms add excitement to both football and basketball games and make the members more recognizable. This extracurricular activity provides the chance for new friendships as members meet people.

Sponsor Mr. Koch, captain Kathy Schroeder, and co-captain Wendy Abragan

organize routines for this activity which requires both time and commitment from its hardworking members. Color guard offers students the opportunity to improve coordination while building friendships.

Accompanying the color guard and also Pom pon squad, the marching band adds enthusiastic spirit to half-time performances at football games, school assemblies, parades, and concerts. Band director, Mr. Koch, creates the many different routines and coordinates them to perfection. In addition, Koch organizes the band's participation in competitions, con-

ducts the band during performances, and selects the musical pieces to play.

To perfect their routines, the marching band practices long and tedious hours during their regular class periods, one night a week, and several times during the summer. The marching band has had much success throughout the year because of their many well-rehearsed and performed concerts.

Being part of band or color guard leads to many new friendships as well as learning and enjoyment.

Julie Justesen
Jenny Lee



At the annual Homecoming Parade the Nile West Marching Band takes part in the fun as they get organized before joining in the parade. The Marching Band includes the girls of Color Guard as well as the many members from Orchestra, Jazz Band, and Concert Band.



The marching band performs during half time at a football game. The band traveled to Walt Disney World in Florida during Spring break.



Performing brilliantly, the marching band proudly march down Lincoln Avenue. The marching band roused up fans and promoted school spirit during sporting events.



After long hours of practice, color guard members Melissa Weiss and Leila Stein perform for the spectators of a football game.

A color guard member shows off her skills as she twirls her flag at a basketball game. Color guard provides the opportunity for students to develop coordination and strength.

Pom Pon members perform a breathtaking performance during half-time at a football game.



Hold that pose. Pom Pon members display their routine to spectators.



Practice makes perfect! Co-captain Rachel Posner goes through the moves of a new routine for the upcoming pep-assembly.



Trying to make a deal on a homemade cookie, seniors Paul Schramm and Jim Ciemney like the idea of a free sample. Pom Pon girls Heather McCulloh and Ali Kwon, along with the entire squad, work throughout the year to provide terrific tasting goodies as well as their fabulous routines.



Front row: Kelly Hogan, Theresa Danguilan, Rachel Posner, Jeannie Choi, Hye Won Chang, Debbie Wagner, Jerusha Torres. **Second row:** Jenny Shin, Melissa Connell, Amy Borys, Mindy Grossberg, Carrie Gold, Senada Arabelovic, Ali Kwon, Tina Park. **Back row:** Danielle Singer, Nancy Lim, Mia Adler, Heather McCulloh, Beth Lichtenstein, Lana Urso, Julie Kang.

A Dazzling Performance!

With giant smiles and pom-pons in hand, twenty-two girls danced across the field during halftime. Rain or shine, the Pom Pon squad never failed to dazzle the crowd. Under the guidance of captains Jeannie Choi and Rachel Posner, the team made it through all the practices and halftime routines.

To prepare for the season, the squad attended a Badgerettes camp at the University of Wisconsin at Whitewater. Spending four days there, in August, strengthened their abilities and taught

them new skills. Treasurer Melissa Connell, remarked, "Camp brings the team closer every summer, and a unified squad always works better together at practices and in the games." Long practices in the summertime and meetings three times a week during the school year also contributed to the squad's success. New member Beth Lichtenstein commented, "The practices were long and hard, just as I had been warned. However, it was such an honor to be part of the squad that I would do it all over again."



Sophomore Cheerleaders- Front Row: Vicki Rappin, Susie Kim, Sandy Delgado, Robin Yu, Jean Joffe, Diana Chang, Angie Savvikis. **Back Row:** Amanda Gilbreath, Alma Arabelovic, Tina LaRosa, Diane Mavric, Sue Park, Margaret Kelly, Betty Chan, Laura Schrager.



Freshman Cheerleaders- Front Row: Mava Monroy, Tammy Reznik, Lisa Marshfield, Aileen Tulen. **Second Row:** Laura Jun, Amanda Harris, Nina Bavaro, Susan Milsk, Dana Friedman. **Back Row:** Natalie Figura, Kari Tipton, Dannai Turos.



Sophomore cheerleaders lead their team towards a victory despite the cold weather. Hard work and dedication enable them to perform cheers with perfection.

Spirit At The Sidelines

Smiling, jumping, and shouting words of encouragement, cheerleaders played a major role in the success of the school's sports teams. Approximately three times a week after school, freshman, sophomore, and varsity cheerleaders practiced to perfect their cheers, mounts, and stunts.

After attending a five-day camp in the summer and ranking among the top twenty squads, cheerleaders entertained at pep assemblies and sporting events. The varsity squad, led by captains Amy Cho and Lisa Schapira, per-

formed for halftime at a DePaul University basketball game. Throughout the year, cheerleaders put in time and effort to rouse the spirit of the Indians. According to sponsor Karen Young, "We were very lucky to have so many hard-working girls with terrific attitudes to represent our school." From class cheering contests in the gym to first and second place awards at camp, the girls succeeded in getting the crowds on their feet to cheer their teams on to victory.

Yvonne Barazi



Sharing a quick hug, junior Lule Jusufi thanks fellow cheerleader Nina Bavaro for the poster loaded with good wishes. This is just one of the activities the squads have to arouse spirit for Homecoming, and other special games.



A sure sign that Friday is here, cheerleader Dana Friedman displays her uniform. This adds to the ways in which freshman and other cheerleaders arouse spirit around school.



Varsity Cheerleaders- Front Row: Lisa Schapira, Amy Cho. **Second Row:** Anne Pullano, Maria Moloney, Grace Diaz, Melinda Hepner, Gloria Catanese, Megan Goldish, Danielle Chams, Linda Hirata. **Back Row:** Karen Noesen, Stacy Alper, Lule Jusufi, Rachel Cohen, Linda Theotokatos, Dahlia Reznik, Joan Colletta.

Yearbook- Front row- Mia Adler, Hilary Kaden, Mindy Grossberg, Melissa Connell. **Second row-** Marnie Malnekoff, Huma Qureshi, Jamie Weisman, Debbie Brodsky, Julie Kohl, Nicole Price, Megan Goldish, Yvonne Barazi, Parveen Najiullah. **Third row-** Donna Peterson, Marcia Tiersky, Rachel Garland, Marla Schrager, Ali Kwon, Karen Popke, Millie Kaufman, Debbie Kang, Jennifer Lee, Nikoletta Antonakos. **Fourth row-** Mara Okmin, Ansa Qureshi, Estelle Nikolakakis, Sally Ko, Carrie Miller, Christina Gabriel, Julie Justesen. **Back row-** Rodney Pintang, Donna Wezio, Andree Abelkis, Tony Stegich, Mike Havdala, Bill Tsagalis, Andy Lundsberg, Nick Stratigakes, Eric Biljetina, Heather McCulloh, Brian Hansen.



When yearbook workers run out of their provisions, they often order more immediately. Senior Hilary Kaden has to make an emergency phone call to the supplier for more film.

Coping With Those Dreaded Deadlines

Layout sheets?? We have none! Can someone get a photographer by 3:00?? What do you mean we have no pictures?? Where did all our croppers disappear to?? Our deadline is, ... TOMORROW!!

Restless editors, staff members, and photographers rambled about at all hours of the day working towards one laborious goal — the completion of the 1988-89 Spectrum! Due to the early departure of the senior class, deadlines had to be met promptly so that the book would be released before May 30. Advisers Jerome Orr and Linda Horwitz took on various responsibilities such as proof reading countless stories, meeting with Jostens re-

presentatives, and mailing finished layouts on time.

Once again, the staff consisted of two classes. Brainstorming brought together the diverse, yet creative ideas of both groups. Putting these ideas into use through various stories, layout designs, and artwork resulted in the success and quality of "Doing It All".

Upon completing the final deadline in February, copy sheets, croppers, job number stickers, and film became remnants of a hectic 6 months of work.

Estelle Nikolakakis





Concetrating intensely on her story, sophomore Debbie Kang looks to adviser Jerome Orr for advice. Yearbook staff members often seek help from each other and the sponsor to improve their stories.

Working late one afternoon, co-sports editor Robyn Nadick finishes counting the words in a story.

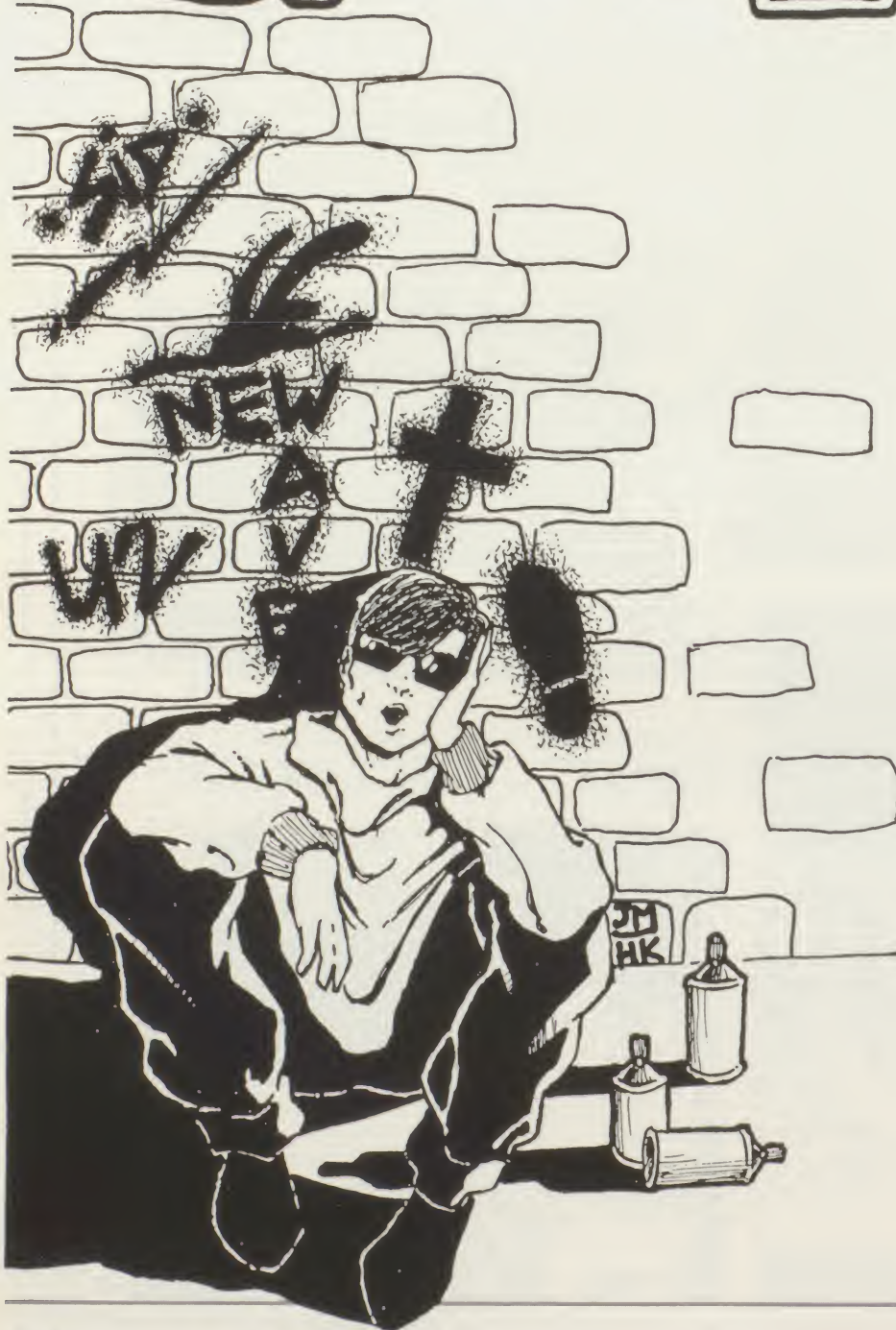


Diligently completing his story, senior Brian Hansen tries to think of a way to end his article. Members of the staff not only have to write good stories, but they also have to get them done on time so that the books arrive for seniors before graduation.

Co-editors-in-chief, Estelle Nikolakakis and Parveen Najiullah, discuss new ideas for the yearbook. Each year original ideas are needed to make the book more interesting than the year before.



Graffiti





Needing a ride home, Suzette Jaskolka phones a friend. Many fortunate students finish classes early.

Doodling (doo' d'l in) v 1. adding creativity to the filled desks in P.E. study 2. seniors chance to leave a message on the school's front lawn 3. excuse not to study for finals (since notes are overlapped with prized artwork)

Spray Paint (spra pant) n 1. new fashion clotng that brought money to the spray paint industry 2. used on football field in attempt to psych Indians to "Roll the Raiders off the Board" 3. what guys do to their treasured cars to hide the rust spots when taking out their girls

Wall Writing (wôl rit' in) v 1. excuse for returning late to study hall in order to complete your contribution to the bathroom stalls 2. room numbers painted on to walls for freshmen to avoid getting lost 3. past-time for those who failed to enroll in art-classes



Testing his strength, senior Pat Merkel pins Lule Jusufi to the wall. Pick on someone your own size!



Seniors Chris Brown, Judy Lapp, and Jeni Dudda rest after a session of diligent studying. Even a senior's schedule is enough to tire one out.

Rock-N-Buzz
Great memories

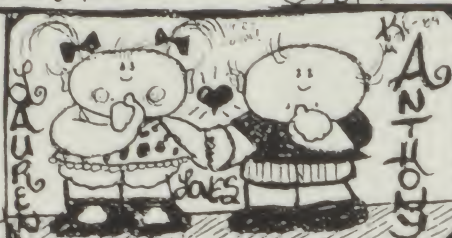
J.D. how's stu? Masters, S O + G R. PERFECT!!
Rock - Best friends forever! IVY - You changed (Vodka)
ester - shes so ugly and... Will you talk to me. claim company's sand box, 2 weeks? Cindy - Bathrooms, vivirin + coolers. Attitude Problem child! ~~was~~ \$150 (Julian Jr.) And my dad's services! Sneaking in my room and I wasn't there. His little brother! No don't turn there! JILL

E.L.G.M.J.D!
It's FINALLY OVER!!
E.N. EVANSTON SECURITY S.E.W.
CINDY BON JOVI-W
See you at ISU

SMILE!
LINCOLN

MEMORIES! 1989
CLASS OF 89!
UNDERCLASSMEN - have a BLAST!
SENIORS - I DREAM HA-HA!
INSIDE
LARAMIE
SNIVIDENT

MAC
-N- MAY 1-24-89
I LOVE YOU



Jan 23, 1988
I LOVE YOU!
Acting... Brilliance...
You're #1 I LOVE U forever

Donna
-N- Nick
You took the words out of my mouth, I must have been while you were kissing me

CLASS OF 89
CONGRATS
Best of luck to all!!

Thankyou for all the memories every one! I'll miss you all very much!
1989 Love always! Malinchi

THE HOMECOMING QUEEN HAS GOT A GUY! AH!!!
TOUR! EXPRESSIONS

FOREVER
March 14th

Ride the Bull!

THE FOREST GANG

Corcoran Head
Zipper

Forest
The Night on the Bridge
Almost getting out by a B.B pellet
KLANNY STORY

Jim, Art, Henry, Ty
The occasional...
Mudville
CAR WASH
BASH

Best Blood and the Killer
Ceiling Bashing
Miller

Frank
FLAMINGO
Hedy Schwenn
Gerard
Panta
Snapper
SPARKIN-HANK

The Sl...
IFRO-BRO
RODENTS!

Hey Rookie
B.V. and C.R.
Baaa!
Sheep-boys
R+B.Y. swimming
Safari Rides (Sara's off road machine)

Yackfest 88-89
No kissing
Liquid courage
Henry - Arch (banned)
Goggles
Destiny
MONSTERS of ROCK!
Smoke Crook!!

The Dead
David & Goliath
Phillip's...
They call me the Cruiser
Sharks

FLAMINGO
Hedy Schwenn
Gerard
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Snapper
SPARKIN-HANK
BOUNCER
David & Goliath
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ELENA & GORDIE
IT'S BEEN A GREAT 4 YEARS
I LOVE YOU BOTH
W/OUT YOU WOULD I HAVE SURVIVED
THANX-GOODLUCK!
E.L ISU-HELP!

CINDY (my sister), ELENA, JILL, GORDIE, GEORGIA, SOFIA, IVY, STACY...
to the BEST bunch of friends:
thanx for all the wild times. Best of luck
to you all. I'LL MISS YOU GUYS!!!

ESTELLE + ANGELO
12-17-88

Angelo - a second chance - it was worth it!!
I LOVE YOU!
Love, Estelle

Homecoming 87-88...
stealing champagne & chucking all over Chicago...
Downstate 88...
RP - Cook County...
from Madison...
w/ Benjie...
his car...
when...
kings...
hard...
talk...
SMITH...
Al...
L...
w/ the...
point...
second...
friends...
TO: Everyone!!

GOODLUCK With Everything!!
The Past 4 years HAVE BEEN THE BEST!
Because of OUR FRIENDS FOREVER!!

THE 3 MUSKETEERS
(GORDIE & CINDY & ME)
WANNA SMOKE? PUERTO RICO OH, THOSE SAND DANCERS!!
LET'S WINDSURF W/ UVA EPIEDED
SO WHAT IF WE DROWN?
AS LONG AS WE'RE HAVING FUN!
THAT DARK BACKYARD BEACH
WHAT ARE WE, NUTS?
PULLING BIG ONES AT 3 HOSE
C-ISU HERE WE COME!!
G-ALL THOSE TIMES LETTING ME IN
THRU THE WINDOW AT DAWD!
CHAMPAGNE AT MIDNITE!!

GREG-MY STOLN BUDDY
ROM-4 EVER
THE SECRETS BUT IT'S NOT A KEG!!
SCOTT-I STILL WANT MY CAKE!!
GO IT'S RED!
OH, NO WHERE'S MY CANDYBERRY?
GEORGIA, ESTELLE, YANA, SUZETTE, IVY, STACY, JINKA, AND OF COURSE GORDIE & CINDY JILL
YOU GUYS ARE THE BEST!!
THANX FOR MAKING MY NI-WE-HI DAYS ACTUALLY FUN!!!
ALL MY LOVE TO U ALL - ELENA

I LOVE YOU PAT
LULE

GEORGIA...
many memories
THE HOOD, B...
EC. INC. 4 EVER
ESTELLE-MEN
LOVE FRIENDSHIP
ELENA, CINDY
GORDIE KRISTIN
FRIENDS 4-EVER
MY HIGH SCHOOL
YRS. WOULD NOT
HAVE BEEN THE
SAME W/OUT YOU!
THANKS 4 THE
BEST YRS. OF MY
LIFE!
THANKS! SOFIA

TO ME UPON MA...
FRIENDSHIPS COME & FRIENDSHIPS GO, BUT
BEFORE WE GRADUATE I WANT U 2 KNOW
I LOVE U ALL & WISH YOU GOODLUCK!
AND I'M GOING TO MISS YOU ALL SO MUCH
THOUGH WE ARE ALL GOING OUR SEPARATE WAYS
YOU GUYS WILL BE IN MY MIND EVERYDAY
KEEPING IN TOUCH IS DEFINITELY THE KEY,
NOTHING COULD EVER MEAN MORE TO ME!
WHETHER IT'S BEEN KEVIN, ERIC, CHRIS, MITCH
YOU LISTENED TO ME WHEN I WANTED TO BITE
WELL GUYS, THE END IS NEAR!
AND WE WILL MOVE ON TO OUR COLLEGE CAREERS
ALL THE HIGH SCHOOL MEMORIES WE WILL TREASURE
WE WILL REMAIN FRIENDS NOW & FOREVER!
I LOVE YOU ALL!
GOOD LUCK IN EVERYTHING!
THANKS FOR THE GREAT TIMES!
DANIELLE (MRS. BEAR) "WILD THING"
CLASS OF 1989!

The Jumpers
Society
may our feet
never touch
the ground!
Stacy: I know
who murdered
Jungle Jim, Hello
hello...
animal no her dog
Mindy: Michigan
ice, Woodstock
Estelle: Pretty Boy,
spaghetti, you
will marry George
Nancy: like really
many long talks
Cindy, Stacy, Jill
Mitch and many
great times
Everybody: Thank
for everything, you
guys are the greatest
I love you all
Rock-Jill miss you
all - Ivy

LOOK RANDY!!
Zuchinnis in
the pasture
meadow!

Ivy, Marina,
Cindy, Cindy,
Mindy, Sally,
Estelle, Jill,
Elena,
Thank for all,
you are the
best and
I LOVE YOU!
I want
to wish you all
the best, you'll
need it!
Thank you for
the best 3 yrs.
of my life
I will never forget
you, so many
memories
I will always
love you!

ESTELLE DOORS
IVY, MINDY,
STACY, YANA (DB)
SUZETTE (BUT
IT'S NOT A KEG)
YOU'RE THE
BEST!! CINDY
GREG-TURN-
about 88
"Cindeis"
B.B. KISS-OFF
SCOTT W- YOU
WILL ALWAYS BE
A STUD!
Q.M. I'M SORRY
BUT HEY...
ANGELO-YOU CAN
TELL - IS ST-
BECAUSE SHE'S
TALLING STUPID
THINGS
EL.G.M. - talks
NO MORE RATS
G.M.'s Bitch -
ALL B-days
VODKA, CHN, BNS
shane & Jack
MASSIVE BIRDS

Don't Worry
BE HAPPY!

Angie-I-J
Up Romeo
I love Romeo-I love
you very much and
we will be together
forever
Gus & Peewee
is written
God and his
the sh-t
out of MA
G-N-R

Sham-miles
to put on the
IROC. Peng-lets
go get my check
Tina-will
can she ever
I will give
Be calm PARK IT
Tina-the brights
really hurt

Homecoming
with Mike and
the rangers!
Will I ever get
the film.
Desy-where
can we buy
Tina-the brights
really hurt

Weyler-Lori-
Bathicorn Braks
Uck- skiny thin
trying to sleep
VE-want a bill
and Lyle...
really hurt

marquitos - Thanks fo
being fresh & fellow
nothing happened with
love! Rita - this is me
ing & getting wasted w
to. Could Christ Susan
though we never take
want to write his name
clares up the sun "you
night peep, games he
aks - love you ya. always
PAP

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 89
 THANKS WHITE HEN
 AND 7-11 FOR FOOD
 BEST SCANNERS

THE BURBANK

SL. NS.
PAC. NS.
KB. HK. DS
Memories
of Partying
in Daytona
Beach!
SPRING
BREAK
'89

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Tami co. Greek-style
Susan co. city Humanities
Linda Froot Loops ©
Mariya Beckers I never...
Scott Ouija Algonquin
Brian tree 11:11
Marc Suburban piddles Ne
Aaron M-I-N-T M

HAPPY PIDI
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DAY! 

TRUST ME!

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GAIL - BECKA - DEBBIE -
"Thud" "tw" "Tong"
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mmmmmm "u'll g
Ice bucket
24 24
Vibrating
Dial
"Ciggle Lunch"
"Buck" = "Buck"
ON ON ON

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Rachel - Virg. nic slim, ss, spinx, soccer player's ex, R.E., where u go tho
wings? Metallurgy class cc - fake kick nms. Homecoming '88

Jean - mellow yellow, w/ hair snobs rym class, "let it cheerleaders are here"

Melissa - rein part-ys at Lynch Jmelle it, he you didn't Cornell?

Merlin - thrux for the ricus, grow your hair, 2 brains, Sweet E motion

Tony G. - "never give up, never give in", Arizona 2 movies unwell - study

Greg B. - soon yr give me an idea for a song? Homecoming '88, Don't worry be happy. Hartman - talks
in college pfp, chunky! Fr. yr gym, gud luck w/ Brad.

matilda - "Jamming to Guns N' Roses" - occups, sentimental, prepri

Lita - lang, "Let's watch Toy Gun" - occups, sentimental, prepri
motorcycle model, red w/ black St. brach, photo for a

[illegible]

Gavanadele - HK 0-0
Grossman - Lenon (Carmel) - Learning
Request: Maxial - Description here so I check town. Set
CARL - Grosse, Bessie - Hungen - Crows in 6th grade
MELBA - Grosse, by my deeds. Her hair making secret sketches
my hands are some new sheets in book
JAGGI - Schnell, Lucke Prinz John Brown - R 320
KADEN - Kulis, Blakes
YULE - English - Grosse, Meier
CHRISTUM - Skim, down town - Grosse & Joe Greek House, St. Louis
Annuance - Orinney - French - your laugh recorded lost North West
Left to Fred's
spirit in memory - Charles, Carl - Jack - you're same time
Boules, Russ

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Michael + Devnah → your BFF

NICOLE
Best Friends
FOREVER!!!

I LOVE YOU NICK!!

♥ sina

Nick
I will never forget anything we've done together. You are Amazing.

I LOVE YOU NICK!!

ALL LOVE
T.F.N.A.T.F.

DIRTY "The Trio" ^{DWight + Frank} ^{Pardon}
- "The Walking Crew" ^{Madden}
HANDY - No nose, cafeteria spills (soup)
SAMMY - The love we shared & the friendship
ACT - We finally have Andy L. - our conver-
sations! Susan R. - Thanks for being there
VICKI - Swimmers Forever! Scott W. - M.
Cafeteria buddy. Heester - You're crazy!
Need help making bones - You
Andy - Spacemaster! Nick S. - Older sister
Dear Dave Babie, 1/13/89
Hi! So how was it being
my locker-partner, boyfriend,
and nephew all in one year?
(Like, or whatever) Not to mention
my ~~locker~~ partner, etc.
H.A. Just kidding! I love you,
always will ☺ Love always, Angeline

I'll Miss You So-o much/ "I'm so-o
Many Memories Driving you to school
"Dirty Dancing" Frisco Hairs
"For Keeps" Laramie Park w/ Frisco
Jack's Cattle Co. Sailboating
Diaco Video Berry Bush/Stained Feet
Homecomings Green Spice Outfit
Turn-a-bouts Gum and Hairspray
All Letters Slurpees at 7-Eleven
B-day Presents Running to Gulf Mill
Anniversaries in the rain
Share Locker our POP Bet
Secret Box Your 100 Pg Letter
Greet Fest Dairy Queen
Driving Around "I'm shy"
Cigarettes "Do you want to go
Our Pasts back to my house"
Kitchen Counter our snow ball
PBJ fight
Ten to Eleven washing our cars
Year accident
"Let's take a nap" My accident
Saw a nurse pretty Bedrooms
scared, Hey Now. Bathrooms
Randhurst Basements
4:00am Phone Calls Factors
1988

JANE

NO
1887

NICOLE
Best Friend
FOREVER !!

John, Suzanne, Shirley, Susan, Marsha, Jeanne, Michelle, Patricia, Mary, Tina, Julie, Estelle, Carl, Michael, Jason, Eric, Doug, Marc S., Brenda, Jeff, Mary, Julie, Tina, Estelle, Carl, Michael, Jason, Eric, Doug, Marc S., Brenda, Jeff

Good

LOVE

JANEY Rich

We'll miss you all!!

800 PARVEEN

MIMAL -cruisin BF DEAD BFF
 Susan great times Jessica
 U box of Judy's letters A Hen
 Rain Idol play now!
 "We're having a HIGH TIME
 living the good life"
 100% baked GD
 "talks" Lapp PFF... sure
 "GA" Royal Phyllis Pick
 Bullin's to Floyd
 oranges is good buddy 40 crying scams
 KEEP THE FAITH long live FDLP Jermonsters laughing heard
 "♡♡♡" ↑↑↑ 34yrs seniors 89

1988-89 POMMERS

★ RACHEL ^ '89

★ JEANNIE ^ '89

SEL-ALI ^ '89

TREAS. ^ MILESSA ^ '89

MINDY ^ '89

HEATHER ^ '89

DANIELLE ^ '89

MIA ^ '89

GENATE ^ '89

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CARRIE ^ '90

JERUSHA ^ '91

THERESA ^ '91

DEBBIE ^ '91

LANA ^ '91

KELLY ^ '91

TJIF ^ '91

WISCONSIN STATE

WHERE IS EVERY ONE!!!

Good Deal
HEATHER
HADI KNOW
SENDERS KICKIN
CH'LAMOUR
Julie
DON'T PRO
10-20 captains meetings
600-1111
US!!
Pinto Ship
Free Rides
Toy Chai
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Awesome
Lands
back
wrestling
US!!

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Senior Survey

Andree Abelkis: Soccer 1,2,3. My most memorable experience was getting busted in school with weed. I got arrested and finger printed. I had to go to court, pay \$500 for my lawyer who was in court for 30 minutes and now I have to go to a counselor and to the Chicago Drug School.

Carol Ann Abraham: Softball 2,3,4; Cross Country 4; S.H. Mighty Mouse; Greek parade; those aren't toys; cat at Kentucky Fried; carbonated nose; nuggets or potatoes; pickles-chocolate covered?; ankles. G.P.-Pee Wee; train; dads on phone. T.F.-earthworms and ectoplasm, screw in around. D.S.-locker room; lunch; goldfish? stoners ch. 1-5. B.J.-cramps from Grape-Nuts; thanks. E.L.-thanks. Hopefully I'll be out of highschool. I'll have a family, pet birds, and be an active mt. biker.

Mia Adler: Diving 1,2; SADD 3; Union 2,3; Cabinet 2,3; Pom Pon 4; Peer Counseling 3; Midnight Riders 3,4. M.P.-17 yrs. best friendship, Fla. '87, summer '88, "go day", 2 much 2 tell! P.M.-Thankx 4 being such a great friend, S.J.-W.L. memories-unforgettable! Pom Pon buddies-camp '88, 1st party at R.P.'s, I LUV U! B.D.-car crash! BFF! H.M.-beer runs, great times! TO ALL-BEST OF LUCK ALWAYS!!

Marc Adreani: Football 1,2,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Italian Club 4; Yearbook 2,3. Driving backwards at MD's w/S.K. Chasing girls w/B.R. and making a wrong turn, Duh! lunch w/G.C., G.P., P.T.-how many violations so far? Here's a story about a man named . . . Everyday w/Albs and G.P. Getting drunk at R.M.'s, at least I didn't pass out unlike A.M. Weekend at Carb w/A.B., S.K. . . Boom Clittyville U.S.A. Jewel and the 4x4 is it gonna go . . . My movie K.S., T.K., S.B. on my bed anyone else. Homecoming '88 w/everyone "Our look was better than yours" Oh and of course my car. I see myself flying a 747 jumbojet. We will be starting production on J.J. June 17, 1999. Be there or lose your part.

Tecla Annes: Orchestra 1,2,3,4, Concertmaster 3,4, Treasurer 3, Sec. 4; Jazz Band 3,4; Fame conductor; Choir 4; Peer Counseling 1; IMEA solo & ensemble contest 1,2,3; IHSA solo & ensemble; IMEA District Orch. 1,4. Music theory w/A.H. remember the double wedding W/J.T. and B.B. We'll always love them. Also remember P.K. Maria is a T.T. Chem. w/P.K. and J.M.-remember Mr. Bloomie. Tilley Cupcake and God doesn't even know Virginia! Hide the picture-where is he? Wake up! I'll always love: B.J., D.H., P.K., A.H., J.S., J.B., J.M., M.C. I see myself set in my music career and married to the man of my dreams.

Maureen Antar: AFS 1; Peer Counseling 2,3; Spanish Club 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4; West of Edens 4; Bronze key. When E.B. and I bombed into 34 and finally met A., discovering the dent and finding the pig. Surprising S.C. when I guessed B. and seeing J.D. the second time. The great Kap days with S. and C. and surviving the tidal waves. M.S.'s big B-day surprise P.L.'s ice cream disaster. I plan to be happily living in England.

Nikoletta Antonakos: German Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; French Club 3,4; West of Edens 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 2,3,4; Tutors Club 4; NHS 4; GNHS 3. At the foothills a great nose and NASA launch pad. BRRRINGH! We climbed, conscience burnt hair, person skiloythite. Look, Cherry, the golden arches; meine Beine! HEY PARVS! go Cubs? SPRING, WINTER, FALL: maybe someday we'll do it wholeheartedly. Summer paradise, sigh! Thanks for caring YnL. Bush jumping? Make WOE! not war. A Wish: May everyone recognize the true heroes, HUMANITY nad LOVE. Now, the summit I sought is just a ridge on an endless mount. Let's load up the rocket-NASASYC- and fly to the top!

Senada Arabelovic: Spanish Club; Union; Cabinet; SADD; Pom Pon; AFA; SNHS. Dino: 95th; unforgettable memories. My heart w/love. S.T.; A.A.; S.K.: Riviera nightmare. Susan- Nick, beach, window-watching. Amy-scary; fun times. Pom Pon: teas n Steven, summer, D.R.: awesome talks. N.P.: talks. S.T.: camera. M.N.: clothes. L.T.; L.C.: gross guys buss. Lori- yogoman. G.S. hot stories. S.G.-dinner, N.C.-sneaking out. Hippie: poems. R.K.-bikini. Marija: P.T.: homeroom. I'll be living in a pent house and work as a pediatrician. And travel to the most exotic places with my husband.

Mark Argetsinger: Football 1,2,3,4. Jumping over football players and landing head first in the endzone. Being the erotic prey of Rachel Cohen, maybe next year! To Mrs. Peterson: Thanks for all you have done. To Mrs. Carr: Thanks for caring, you're the best! Graduate from Princeton and be intelligent enough to pull Bingers with Mr. Flynn and all his friends. Also be smart enough to know what the hell this school is about!

Jim Arrogante: Track 1,2,3,4; Chess 3,4; Debate 1,2,3,4; NHS 3,4; H.R.- liver, lungs, A.A., visine. P.M.-Wards, Trak, Hoffritz, Scams. Betting and losing w/everyone. K.R. concert M.R., J.V., R.O. Telephone orders w/D.Y., D.R. Stealing the van. Cheating in Simones. Arrested for possession. D.G.-Thanks for the tender times we had. I mean it. To everyone KEEP ON SCAMIN. Working at Trak Auto as a cashier and pulling off more scams. Make an occasional appearance on American's Most Wanted. Seriously.

Marty Bach: Cross Country 1,2,3,4, captain 3,4; Track 2,3,4, captain 4; Swimming 3; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1; Newspaper; NHS 4. Meet at Canton-escaping from good ol' boys, parallel parking into a bus, winning regionals but scoring for wrong team, Canada excursion, D.W.-Deutsch macht Spass! J.C.-Please drive more carefully (enjoy the scenery) D.H.-Thanks for the ski lessons/Can I open my eyes now? Physics buddies S.C., M.V., H.Y., K.Z. (200% error) O.P. and B.M. (Good luck and win conference) G.D. and H.D. Thanks for the friendship.

Eunice Baek: Spanish Club 3,4; SNHS 3,4; Concert Band 1,2; Marching Band 1,2; Drumline 1,2; Peer Counseling 4; Korean Club 1; Amnesty Inter. 4; Bronze Key 1. Summer of '86 with Nerdia, M.S. and M.A. Speak up, I can't hear you! 200 ways of pronouncing my last name! M.S. you solid gold dancer! Sparky loves Priscilla! Learn how to spell, you hiccupwoman! hey babs, I'm a suicidal maniac! M.A. stop wearin' short skirts on windy days! S.C. love that hair! Thanks for the memories guys! Continue being a social outcast, a rebel, and a non-conformist, and convert juvenile delinquents into Christians.

Mike Bartholomew: Symphonic Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Drumline; Orchestra; Pit Band; Little Shop of Horrors; Fame; Grease; Swimming 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4. Crazy times at Holidome "Oh my God officer", laughing in patty wagon, fixed a BMW w/Jerry and Tasso. Escaped wrath of S.J. Destruction at summer parties. Adventures at Sears, Visious virgin,

Sewage scamming pants. Total party last Sept. Landscaping in M.S.'s car. "Is their a problem?" tour 151 M&J-outdoor furniture nylons. A multi-millionaire owner of companies internationally.

Michelle Bauer: Peer Counseling 3; Midnight riders 4; Yearbook 4. K.D.-Ewww!, C.D.-tube —, H.E.-See you at WIU!, C.L.-phone talks, genemachine, read my lips, don't leave me T.S.-Yea!, L.W.-feel the magic, J.W.-oooh better cheddars, J.W.-Accord, Accord. Accord. D.W.-faker, laughs w/the "gang" at B-square, lock-ins, N.Y. parties, L.W.'s (my elbow) gymnastic meets, Carmens, etc. In ten years I see myself as the owner of a French Braiding salon.

Marc Bechar: Hockey 2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; Football 4; Baseball 1; Soccer 1. Downstate '88 the Eldo. Why are you going to turn into the Incredible Hulk? A.B. Hotel California. K.O. New Years Basherina. R.D. many basherinas. S.G. kept life exciting. Nintendo Fest '89. I will win. S.M. to early to tell. Hard times w/o '88 chicks. The best times A.B., R.D., K.O., E.S., J.B., S.G., J.M., A.C., and SOPHIE. Driving from Laramie to McD's for fun while working as a Niles West security guard under principle Ramsyer. I forgot I'm married to a cafeteria lady. Bye.

Israel Behar: Baseball 1; Medical Careers Club 2,3; Ecology Club 3,4, Pres. 3,4; Racketball 3. Being in Mr. Strnad's Bio. 3-4 class my sophomore year and receiving straight A's from him. Meeting new people and friends and graduating from this tedious school. Most of all, it's been great having E.D., K.M., and J.B. in my homeroom, as well as E.F. and N.D. for friends. Hopefully a masters degree doing research for some reputable company exploring different methods of curing disease.

Michelle Beller: Track 1. To Jackie: Boat, bikinis- us one side of the lake, then the other side- the car at the camper, carrying me up the hill- New Year's eve- ass prints on Rx7- albino grow in the dark O.B. The Fearcator's health club- pizza, spot on your SMSU shirt (crunch) LAST- ALL THE GOOD TIMES TO COME. Ten years from now I see myself owning my own beauty shop, married and have 3 kids.

Christi Benedetti: Concert Band 1; Symphonic Band 2,3; Marching Band 1,2,3; Drum major 3; Concert choir 3; "Tribute to Walt Disney" crew; Peer Counseling 3. Aaron and Benny: Boston tour, running from Larry and Marc, the "Doctor", the Australian picture; New Orleans, papa sack, sleeping on luggage, rugies, private swimming pool, dimes for Mr. Burdeen; Phoenix tour; New Year's eve, NYE pics, Grand Canyon, swimming in December; Anthony Cecci; Celebrity Centre.

Susan Bezanes: Colorguard 3,4; Cabinet 1,2; Union 1,2; Peer Counseling 2; Hellenic Club 1,2,3,4; Midnight Riders 4. Toasting senior year, stuffed animals, Brian's dress. Algonquin, butterflys, tour, 4th of July. Pee Wee's not a —, Oujia, 10:49, predictions. Hollywood Fred's, OJ, love seotors, P.-L.-E.-Z. Greeks, meow, 5:55, NICE, Wakanda, New Years, J.D. "sleeping", Benihaha's skeletons, Georgia, "trust me", nachos, ravioli, brownies, chocolate frosting, "The Alnighter", don't worry be happy. Someday I'll own my advertising agency and work at the Tiny To with Tami, Linda, Kathy, Scott and Brian. I love you all!

Jim Bibizas: Football 1,3,4; Basketball 1. South padre with Scott and Eric. Mao of the week, 4 for 4- Babe Ruth. Telling Scott that his parents are home and to get everybody out of the house. Going out on the weekends with my friends. Nintendo Fest. Brad U.'s house with S.P. and someone else the next day. Living in a penthouse, with my wife, wearing thousand dollar suits w/alligator skinned shoes and briefcase. Driving a Jag.

Jeremy Biewer: Gymnastics 1; SADD 4; Medical Careers 4; Ecology Club 4; White Honor 1; Colorguard 1. MC- B Daltons, handsprings off picnic tables, fireworks, gold fish. CM-Dominick's, Wisconsin, Blues Brothers, Champaign. EJP-hotels, "dad", inexpensive evenings, Tests. JB- Goody-Goody, Sophomore Turnabout. RH- help in math, Thanks!! SZ- friends and a crush. LH- Love, New Year's and everything else. All my friends. Later when your straighter! In the future I'll either be a happy house husband or a doctor, remembering hatred of physics and the fun I had at NiWeHi. Thanks!

Eric Biljetina: Basketball 1; Football 2,3,4; Volleyball 3,4; Peer Counseling 3,4; NHS 4, SADD 3,4. Madel's basement; especially Wallin. Watertower 8 a.m. Autos. "Cigar" before finals. Late nights: Fairview. Chases. Halloween. Jae's bails. Embassy Suites, Pink Floyd, Forest, Hollywood's sleeperover. Sybaris, sleepovers, Ozzy's New Year, Niles Police urinals after Royal 6. Team Player. Walking fights. Parties: Winny, Burdo, Shapiro, Sim, Browder, Lapp, Aronesti, Markel, Shrager, Rachel will have my kids, we'll all be dressed in black, and I'll still be fighting with Susan and Danielle.

Suzu Bohigian: Symphic Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Tour 1,2,3,4; Band Board 3,4. Treasurer 4; Solo and Ensemble Contest 2,3,4; Pow Wow Orchestra 2; German Club 2,3; Orchestra 3,4. Ami-peach pant, Arizona, tattoos. Megan-spoons, PEANUTS, sMC. Maria- "The sun was in my eyes!" "There's a hole in my racket!", everything, every class, all good times, We are going to college! Beer chips, Tracy's carpet. What? Wack his pp, okay, sko. Patty lollipops. Joel-ASO, Prom, summer, New Year's, "bestest" friends, all great times, I luv you. POOZ.

Andrew Bok: Soccer 1; Football 2; Baseball 1,2,3; Basketball 1. J.B.- upstairs, downstairs (Dinner?) S.G.- no more buts. S.M.- Good luck with K.L. B.U.- open the "F" door! J.M.- CIA man- don't arrest me. Rico- Baa Boom. R.D.- no way. K.O.-let's hitch. P.M.- use the gun. To the #1rapper in the world (Vicki) Keep up the Good work!! I will follow in the late Bruce Lee's footsteps and be the best martial artist in the world!!

Kathryn Born: Theater 1,2,3; Steering Committee 3; Peer Counseling training 3, leader 4; Orchesis 3, Advisory Board 4, Snowball 3, staff 4. Getting there is half the fun. Howard in the bunny suit. Hair. Psycho. "Puff the magic dragon" is not about drugs. Hippies B Fest. 1-800-GET-COKE. Thankx to Ferd for the classes. Amy for the lunches and Yuri for the ride. Tell whatchisname I loved his best. 10 years from now I will probably married and divorced 238 times and will be living on a self-supportive farm in California with T.F.K.

Aaron Boyles: Drumline 3,4; M.P. you raunchy savage! M.A. + S.K. 40 miles and BOOM! B.S. Go for it S.B. BEAKER! I know I.M. EADERS! MM Mooshey! J.T. Forget him! M.S. Wanna buy a MAXMAN M.P. (again) Ms. Joel F! INXS Falling asleep at the wheel G.W. Rootbeer to water in flask WAIT! BYE. Anchor on KNBC- Los Angeles bringing news to the greater Los Angeles area. Home in Beverly Hills.

Janine Breit: Concert Orchestra 1,2,3,4; IMEA 2; IHSA 1,2,3,4; Music Tour 1,4; Oliver! Orchestra 1; Fame quartet 4; EVITA 4; German club 1,2,3,4; Usher club 1. Rehearsing the conversation w/ Cynthia, Tammy spilling the Meatball Steeple, R.C w/ Laila, Tour '86- "schnapps" Suzanne, "I've never had a friend like You before", Cindy, the flavor's in the char, Jeremy, it's been an experience, becoming a 5-star diamond Ster, we should get in touch, special best- friendship w/E.J. To be living the glamorous life in New York as a virtuoso in the EJP Townhouse.

Andy Browder: E.S. Downstate in the caddy, J.B. I need money, M.B. my couch with Nightengale, J.M. we're going to state, A.C. my first behind school, R.D. Homecoming '88 sorry about the bed, S.G. Racing on Edens, what a ride, M.O. my love forever, K.O. Chicago Health Club, French ticklers, Sophie. World record holder of land and water.

Christine Brown: Basketball 1,2; Leaders 3,4; Midnight Riders 3,4. Downstate 88; Party at Millers: Taco Bell; Jacks; Laramie; McD's; HR. Loves; Summer '87, '88; apy' mornings at hill; Porm '88. Homecoming '87, '88; switch, without; you've lost that loving feeling, twins; courtsey look the doors. N.S. 7 yrs. B.F., toilet paper; car accident, thanx C.M., LOVE you, never say goodbye. Ten years from now I see myself hanging out, and having a good time.

Karla Bruno: Midnight Riders 3,4. To all my pals- best of luck! C.M.- scamming with R.M. and G.B. Licking wild turkey off the bar! Mm Yumm! P ———! S.L.N.S.C.M.J.D.H.K.: I love you! College bashing! ISU J.D.- action! C.B.- hiss! N.S., J.D. and me WWW! WICKED 69! BOX! H.K., S.L., 5-7 dirty talking! A.B. + J.B.- torpedo and ZZZ! N.W. complimentary breakfast. White Hen and Y- Eleven! N.S. + E.G. J.D. + T.P. All my love-Brian. I love you forever! Loyola boys. R.C.- I love him! Homecom '88! Nads! Cleavage! J.B.-don't give up hope! I see myself a millionaire living in a California mansion with my pal Stacey, using and abusing anything and everything.

Senior Lynda Theotokatos adds the finishing touches to her college application. College decision making is a major part of senior year.



Jason Burk: Orchestra 1,2,3; NHS 3,4; Newspaper 3,4; Sports editor 3,4; Chess Team 1,2,3,4, captain 3,4; Leaders 2,3,4; Tutors club 4. Many great ones. Times with W.H., R.I.P. Stacy's lousy cat, oh my God! Best of luck K.L. Mik, Mr. Argumentative, thanks for all the great times. J.S. give me chem! Finally, lets hope that the best is yet to come. Ten years from now I'll be thankful that I've made it this far.

Bob Burns: German Club 3,4; NHS 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Peer Counseling 3; Bronze Key 2; Silver Key 3. Dario's driveway/basement (every night), Chevelle from Hell, "Hot ho", the Mazda gassing ripped off, 3 bumper pool shot, Camp George. A.H. New Year's Eve '87, Lina's house, Florida! J.L. Bobo-Schlep, Nea the psycho chef, "I got a sparrow", O.M.-Cheesy-Beef, werewolves, M.R.-"Do you have a lunch?" E.O. When are you going, Gummy. It's been the longest four years of my life, but I can't believe they're over!

Kelly Butera: Soccer 1; Midnight Riders 3,4; P.T. 4th of July '87-K.L., G.C., S.J., L.C., 4th of July '87, Lori those poor bushes! P.T. 6-12-87 at K.L. party. All the fun times out with the girls, you guys are the best! G.C. late nites at Jacks. A.B. and L.C. N.W. beach, what a BLAST! M.C. and K.B. Holiday Inn, BUSTED! K.B. and G.C. behind S.A.'s furnace. D.T.'s caddy. K.B. "Those were the worst 9 months of my whole life!" Ten years from now I see myself as a successful physical therapist and married to an electrician.

Neil Butler: Volleyball 3. Running from Steve, Jackie, and Puff after yelling at Kup. My very special experience was serving 40 hours after school and 7 Saturdays. THANKS KUP. Throwing a beachball, hitting a teacher and never got caught. Thank Kup see when ever that means never!! Ha, bye underclassmen. I see myself in ten years married to Janet Shamoun, living in London, owning a Ferrari dealership, Janet being a model for the elite earning 2 million a year, meeting Kup at a bar drunk asking me if I served my Saturday or not.

Eric Cabana: Track 4. Fun times at Jacks w/ L.G., S.W., D.G., R.C., A. and O. Teddy's hide and guts flying at Great American's Eagle. Camping w/ L.G., O., R.C., S.W. at the Indiana Dunes. Drawing the Duke and Bush, throwing and jamming at parties w/ M.B., V.A., A.M., etc. Racing in LSD and more meetings at Jacks and Laramie Park. A successful entrepreneur with a good academic background. Ha!Ha!

Roadie Calara: Wrestling; Volleyball. The day when Mr. Grahn, a person with a fascinating character, substituted and tried to hypnotize our English class. My most special experience was making lasting friendships with people (you know who you are) throughout the years, people whom I'll try not to forget and whose friendships I'll cherish forever. I'm looking at this dumb yearbook asking myself why I didn't ask the chic who the Mercedes out sooner!

George Callas: Soccer; Volleyball; Hellenic Club. Going out to lunch with Marc Adreani and George Papadopoulos. Driving around with Lambros Lambcomobile and I thank God we didn't have an accident (at least with me in the car). Seen Andreas getting showed once every two weeks and D-D-Days standing in front of his locker with his girlfriend wondering around. Dead!!!!

Michelle Campbell: Sophomore year with Lena, Mark and Dan. Driver's Ed. with Maria and Besinger. Lunches with Julie, Rebecca and Lisa. Murph's computer class. All the great times with Lena. Your dad looking for WORMS! The van! Stash! And most of all to Doug, I love you! Big Bird.

Peggy Campbell: Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; Track & Field 1,2,3,4; Leaders 2,3,4; Midnight Riders 3,4; N-Club 4. CL-go down the road apiece to git yer gasoline. JW Stevemule 88, just dance. SC-crotch the beam again and die. SH.LB-Thanks for the good times. I'll never forget you. BM-Thanks for everything. I love you. Happy car rides to larapuke for all.

Carlos Casas: Football 3,4; Diving 3,4; Swimming 2,3,4. I taught Andy how to dive. I leave him my knowledge and weight set. To Ross, I leave my good memories and Turtle Wax for his vette. To Pete, I leave my black book full of girls' numbers. To Gripman, I leave a burnout with my Z28. To Sandi Jaggi, I leave my speedos. To Jenny Swanson who used me F-Y-!!! To Keith, I leave him my smelly gym clothes and a naked picture of me. With a new Corvette and secure future, playing golf with Pete, Keith, Andy and Ross. Watching Ross and Sofie bowl. Going to bars with all my friends, except Ross because of his little woman.

Danielle Chams: Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; SADD 2,3,4. Pres. 3,4; Peer Counseling 3,4; leader 4; Cabinet 2,3,4. Nancy-summer '88, morning pick-ups, shopping sprees, Ed's-Dan. Megan-Downstate '88, driving to? at 2am, Jeff/Kevin talk. Israelies. Lisa-summers forever, sex talks, S.O.T.W.H.! Greg-be happy!

our wedding, love you Gregg! Eric-Homecoming '88, Embassy Suites, W.C. & ice cubes, my party, 42 & counting, my nose, come! Love you so much! Geni-La Bamba, roomies!, the 6 of us together! Mindy guy talks, wedding at Wisconsin-K.B./E.S. Lynda-Israelies, roomerom, 1-10? Jr guys-lasar shows, good times, I'll miss you guys! A physical therapist in Sports Medicine working with the Chicago Bears and married to my favorite Bear and highschool sweetheart, Kevin

Marsha Chang: Cross Country 1,2; Track 1,2,3; Math Team 1,2,3,4; Tutor's Club 2,3; Debate 2; NHS 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3; Medical Careers 1,2; Usher's Club 1,2; Korean Club 1,2,3,4; West of Edens 1,2; Janey, the bestest best friend anyone could ask for! I'll always remember all your B.F.'s, esp. "Baby, I love you way" "S.Q. late college applications, "Doctoring" in Mr. H. and Raggedy Ann's class! Eddie, "What's up with Jew?" You're the sweetest! Timothy 2:11-14. Jokes, "Why you make fun?" Long talks and diversion tokens. John Bro (Towel), Calculas, lunch tray, "Hae Boowast!" Mike (you "toothpick") and Jae Woo long night doing Korea paper and 1963. Jim, late night talks. J.L. memories both good and bad. Joe "Depantsing". Javier, pasta & circle song. Neta, two for one. (I won!)

Yiwen Chang: Volleyball 1; Debate 1,2; French Club 1,2,3,4; German Club 3,4; West of Edens 3,4. Strings of seedy motels crammed with Djeeks, Cow case and Indians, strange NYears eves, running after the bus on Michigan Ave. at 10 degree temp. after lunch at Berghoff's, Scalping Orchestra Hall tickets. Bush jumping. Houlihans, unfilled moviefests, zoo picnic, SPRING, watching "Wild Thing" at 4:00 am. Justinian, steps on Maztov's ladder and other coversion. Pyrospychics at N's. DB and my gym shoes, summer '87, lousy spelling, fresh poultry shop, Chicago filmfest, beaches. Being completely happy, concerts, looking for Pink Panther. Walking along Lawrence on ice. Running through the forest.

Shoma Chatterjee: NHS; SNHS; Ill. State Scholar; Peer Counseling; Leader 2,3,4; Seminars for Scholars, Amnesty 4; AFS 1,2,3,4; Red Honor Key 1; Bronze Key; Silver Key; West of Edens; Tutors Club 3,4. April-my twin, NU frat parties, lifetime friendship, Maureen-3(Erik), J.D. U of C pants, K.O. herbal shampoo, windsor, Chern's blue eyes, M.S.-Homecoming '88 memories. Stacy-QB's, Mike T's, when??? D.W.-cruise, I want Vin, N.P.-runaway models, Amy B.M.F., fickle, you're the best Amy F.SantaFe men, volvox, M.R.-funny farm, L.V.-Linc. police, E.B.-suicidal maniac, Nigel, J.C. and S.B.-Champaign, Larry, M.W.-not the window! I love you all! Good bye NiWeH! Head of the United Nations and single.

Jeannie Choi: Pom Pon 2,3,4. Treasurer 3, Capt. 4; Orchesis 1,2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Senate 2; Union 2; German Exchange 3; AFS 2,3; NHS 3,4; SNHS 3,4; Bronze Key 3; Ill. State Scholar 4. JAR-Hot, hot, hot, selams, slimev, groovus, maximus, Boone boys, The Directions Man-Marry Me, Ryan? Brian?, Arizona-prank call, best hostess, Amy-barf, salt-lemon, undergarments as outerwear, tampons, Rachel-camp we're doing cap'n stuff. Ali-if someone asks, we're twins. Melissa-best talks, awesome times, Amy C-green eyes forever. Heather-college life. Heazser. Senade-when's Dino coming. N.L.-ill sis. A.B.-molesters and perverts, M.A.-immunity to sickness, M.G.-saam, D.S.-secret Santa pals forever, L.U.-Mary Jane, S.C.-history tests, Downstate-chug milk, busted-Lambda Chi. J.T., T.D., K.H., D.W., C.G., J.K.-undying friendship, long grueling summers, HIGH BIAS.

Shirley Choi: Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Debate 2,3,4; German Club 2,3,4; French Club 3,4; Sec. 4; West of Edens 3; Spanish Club 3; Current Events 3; NHS 3,4; GNHS 3,4. Overnights w/ S.A., Y.C., X.G., C.G. at ISU & Augustana, and other d-team memories, esp. Mt. climbing w/Hong, S.A., X.G.-Mr. McMahon's dangling man, X.G.-slumber parties in class (Moshak's & McMahon's), Schau nicht auf die ufer, Morgen blau, und uber morgen wieder N.A.-remember Mickey Dee's and long walks. Justinian! S.A.-too many to remember. penny pinchers club & Sushi labs, X.G.-what could I do w/o you?

Joe Chung: Hockey 3,4; Track 1,3; Tennis 4; Band 1,2,3,4. Officer 3, Pres. 4; NHS 3,4; German Club 3,4; Fame conductor 4; Celebration 1; Oliver 2; Stop the World 3; Chorus Line 1; IMEA 1,2,3,4. AK-sweater cleaned vet? JV-too huge! JC-forget shopping! SC-curl! RF+DM-Spliooe!!?BD stinks! AH. I'm not a happy camper! AG-you look shorter. SG-sell fakes to get a real one. Al-you look splendid! LS-look good in a tux? Best hockey game-Buffalo Grove. I'll be single forever. I might not be very well off, but I'll have a nice car.

Thomas Chung: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Korean Club 1,2,3,4; NHS 4; Ecology Club 3,4; German Club 3,4; Medical Careers 3,4; Chess 1,2; Racquetball 3,4; Table Tennis 3,4; Volleyball 3,4. "Poker Friday, guys", "Hey Frank, diversions again!", "Frank you got brain damage, cover my ass; greedy mother!", "What did you call me, Amy?", "Noel, my car —", "Mikhail, your car stopped again", "Take one more you yamp", "I Always remember you "Spongy". First Homecoming dance-thanks S.K. (Kitty) M.C.-TOP GUN. I see myself studying for my M.D., Ph D or failing and being a bum chasing girls.

Jim Ciemny: Football 1; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Merckels Pinto freshman year, Merckel bashes, and pounding w/ the guys. "A man got to do, what a man's got to do." Going crazy w/ Schramm and all the memories and experiences we've had the last 14 years. Red + White party '88! To all the guys- B.Y., B.M., A.L., C.R., T.K., P.S., P.M., H.R., thanks for the memories and all the great times. Finally the memories w/Karen I could never forget. All the movies, dinners, Homecomings, Julie's house, late night phone calls, all our arguments, the list is endless. Thanks for being there and all the great times we've had and will have in the future. I love you! In ten years I will have fulfilled my life long dream of graduating from Harvard and returning to Niles West as the head janitor.

Lori Clark: Volleyball 1; Basketball 1; Council 1,2,3,4; Union 3,4; Peer Counseling 3,4. Sue-long talks, great peace, sneaking beers, jogging, great times. Loch- OOO-WEE-OOO, swinging on stairs, girls night out, beer runs, H.M.-neurotic numbut, shorter shirts with holes, beer runs, mad scientist, snowball from hell, skid recovery on Frontage, S.J.-rounds, pratti, skiing, 2 spoons please, Jacks soup, holes in shirts, bad luck w/guys. Glow-team teach, Heidi, great memories. Grace-downtown, curfew, long talks, friendship, Chris-lifecycle, trying to matchmake, sorry for the trouble. Thanks! Ten years from now I see myself finally knowing the lip-synce dance and living on a tropic island somewhere with the hottest guy on earth! (but I'll love him for his mind!)

Rachel Cohen: Cheerleading 1,2,3,4, Capt. 1,4; Soccer 1,4; Cabinet, Sec. 1; Union 1; Midnight riders 3,4; Wrestling 1; Peer Counseling 1,4. Jill-L.R. talks, dont F. 1-900, turbo, SAB shuffle, day-off, bathing suit, BUSTED!, super B's! Susan-Wendy's, N.B.C., tabs, psycho. Jumpstreet, B.J. concert, K.U. Alps-N.Y.E., D'Ag's house, N.N., GNR, sleepovers. Lynda-Dec. 15, alumni, H.C. 87, car rides, A.K. T.X., Judas priest, Lisa-Bud, tent, showbiz, girl talks, bras, ch. camp, Mark. Kristi-long talks, roomies, nymph, F.F. Jeni-marshmallows, C.P., Jason, southerners, Meg-stolen car, lock-out, Cohen-ish trio, H.R., bites, labial palps, B.S. mal-P. talvin-late talks, Brad's house w/ Jimmy. Andy-fatal attraction. Scott-champaign, Rose, Rich-basement(tah), Brett-locke, gucen. In business w/ Megan Goldish naming lipsticks and nail-polishes-"Razzle Dazzle Pink" and "Red Hot Red".

Joan Colletta: Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Expressions 4; Italian/American Club 4; Track 2; Union 4; Cabinet 4; SADD 1,2; Peer Counseling 3; Midnight riders 3; V-Day D.W.; Falling in love with B.S.; "lean on me"; Rebecca funny farm; C. camp Jr.Yr.; cheerleaders & D.W. There's no way I could write down my memories, so I'll just say that I've had the best times of my life with you guys and I love you! Ten years from now I will be married to B.S. (with a vaccine!), coaching cheerleading, and very successful (hopefully) in my career.

Melissa Connell: Basketball 1; Orchesis 3,4; Pom Pon 3,4; Midnight riders 3,4. Who'd you fool around with? What'd you do? Prom '88, Homecoming '88. Late nights at R.P.s, Pom Pon-everything! D.S., L.U.-Bennigan's, fake I.D.'s-Arizona-oh no, oh — no, Daytona beach! Medtown-Freddy's boiler room! Awesome, unforgettable summers. Had I known! Mindy's look Red and white! Talking (sob) sessions. Oujia, court house parties! outdoor toilets, R.P. PRANK PARTNERS! Stevenson jerks! Where's the party? too many to name 'em all. Living a happy life, remember memories of these awesome times always. To all of you who I love so much- good luck, I'll miss you-K.I.T.

Andy Costello: Football 1; Wrestling 1; Baseball 1,2,4. My relationship with my girlfriend Hilary Kaden. Prom junior year was something that will never be forgotten. Freshman year when the change machine was unlocked and when the pop machine was giving away free pop. Happily married, maybe with children. Have my own contracting company. Making big bucks for myself and my family and supporting my Corvette cravings.

Senior Survey

Suzanne Covington: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1; Tutors Club 3; Union 2,3; Seminars for Scholars 4. Ana: chem-total confusion! Joyrides! My accident-SHH! ice cream in a blizzard! Deadringers-AHH! gym w/ the GIANT-UGH! Shellies & Doll-I miss U2-but the memories stay. Jane: Turnabout '88 and Moscow at nite. From '88" no limo?! Greg: my luv 4ever! Downtown ur the best! I plan 2 marry Greg & not live at work. Thank guys 4 all the memories! My luv 2U forever!

Shannon Crowley: Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; SADD 1,4; Council 1,2,4. Cia-chill, D—K-I-I, our men, \$1.75, lipstick, Ups & Downs, when did I last wear this? Kim-SHOES! Boozer! gummies, Jamie-terms of endearment, "right here, right now on the kitchen floor." "I'm going to live where there is an outhouse!" Peggy-final exam, E.P.T. Laura: "How many neighbors do you have?" passing out, how many people do we know in each room. Sara: "Are you teasing me?" "Do you have me?" Kim-party, "Where were you? I thought you got raped." beer stains on tile. Dana-my beam buddy, killer hands. "There is a pole in the bed! Wait, Darla, is she dying? Northbrook! See you around guys! I luv you!

Arnold Cruz: Gymnastics 2,3,4; Flip Club 2,3,4; Spanish Club 4. Gymnastics meets, both frosh-Soph mikers, senior prank week of my sophomore year. Homecoming '88 at Niles North, penny fights with freshmen, intramural volleyball games with my first and last detention I served 2 years ago. General surgeon working at some expensive hospital in Chicago or California with my wife, 5 children, and turbo charged "Yugo."

Kevin Curtis: JA meets that we never went to and Gigio's on Fridays. Taking rides in Jim's car whenever it was running. Having Flynn, a true master at crown control, as HR teacher. A civil planner or civil engineer living in downtown Chicago on the 31st floor of an apartment building.

Yana Dashevsky: Tennis 3; Midnight riders 4; Soccer 4; Peer Counseling 4; SADD 4. L.T.-one Saturday never to forget, George 2, Devon, eggs, rateface, Rio, good times; C.U.-Bloomingdales, ED's, Daytonna, P.P., AL, vomit, head bumps, Lord & Taylor. E.L.-Bloomingdales, ED's, ditching, second city, Daytonna, jo, S.J.-Do you want to go to my cabanna and such on my banana? I see myself very successful at whatever I'm doing, making big bucks, and married to G.B. with a puppy or two running around.

Kendra Davis: Tennis 1. Lauren: Benetton: sales or management only. Howie: back fuzz. Darla: fun families. Brad: tales of terrible weekends, careless memonts, probably Mr. Waddell. Derek: Leona's, Clark's on Clark, Lincoln Towing. Michelle: haircuts, shopping malls, Larry, fast friends, critical conversations-Luck, Love and Good Times to All-1999-Happy, healthy, tan, practicing physical therapy, driving a black convertible VW Bug with a black lab riding shotgun.

Bill DeAcetis: Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Track 3,4; N-Club 4, V.P.4; Grease 4; Leaders 4. Many visits to "The Magnet"; cranking G.N.R. all night with S.M., A.B., M.R., S.T.-The Doors: M.A. totalling Lincoln's into the guard rail; Flowers "Get outta here -"; Tennis nets; midnight bombers. "No officer, no more." Warm bottle from Turnabout party from J.B.-Toothpaste; R.D.-"Pork n Beans"; M.H.-sarcasm, bruised knees, great friendship forever! Good Luck! Working for a business firm in the city, married to my dream girl and planning to have four kids, yeah!

Ever Deguzman: Flip Club 2,3,4. K.D.M.-untouchable HA! F.S.K.-get a hair cut, I.B.-a hair's out of place, E.F.-where's that echo coming from? J.D.G.-you're never getting my truck, A.S.L.-brown noser, J.D.B.-drop that skank! please!, S.G.-who's jism, 454-forever, C.M.-where's Erwin, N.D.G.-quit standing on the whizzer, J.K.-skate or die, J.P.-buy a Chevy, Ford stinks, A.E.-it's house, Word!

Noel Deguzman: JSM, ED underwear got pretty heavy in cage with Jerr after playing with red VW. JDG ay son, don't fall on your face. EDG keep you truck forever, don't ever stop dreaming about it. KMC yeh, Boy, WORD! JUG hacc tu tara. EDF, TMC, MKL we've been through four years of purgatory, now it's time for hell. Everybody call me 6:30 pm, Dec. 31, 1999.

May Delasalas: Theater 1,2,3,4; Orchestis 2,4; Expressions 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 4; Filipino Club 2,3,4; SNHS 3,4; NHS 3,4; Leaders 2,3,4. New Orleans, Little Shop, Chorus Line in Muncie, Expressions, theater, Fame, Homecoming 88, Grease, M.H. & M.D. four funny looking oranges. steering committee-sleep. Rose-relationships. M.D., K.G., K.S.-spare, B.J.-diet cokes. Tim-bare butts. Ali-physics, skitsky's. M.D.-sand blasters in Muncie. Tirso-stupid jokes, personal talks and all my love. As a successful pediatrician, totally in lve with my job. I also hope to be married with possibly one child.

Joe Delfin: Cross Country 1; Expressions 1,3,4; Filipino Club 3,4; Theater 1,3,4. Inherit the Wind, Bye, Bye Birdie, Fame, I'll always remember the music tours to Boston, NYC, and Disney World; flying an airplane; the long but fun driving trips to Bumble-with my friends; the awesome parties; crowding 8-10 people in a small car to go to these parties; skiing; going on record/h.o. hunts/ and more. In ten years, I'll be a very wealthy doctor - still partying and traveling.

Jessica Dickstein: Marching Band 1,2; Concert Band 1,2; Childrens' Theater 1; Council 3; SADD; Medical Careers; Tutors Club; Midnight riders 3,4; Bronze Key; NHS, JH: HRich's, CSBF, oranges, OHartman, dream, it's tss, secret luvs, pfff, EDWINA=LTB, Madtown, J.L.3 pigs, gorgeous bro's, courtesy, Donuts, Krapp, RM #59-BUSTED! SL:SCAM, prom night w/FDL, I hate her! Wake up! DOSES! MIM-bugged, PF LZ GR GD, Paula's, Billy, deepest secrets! Luv u's BFF AM: enjoy my necklace, take care, Natasha: Israel 87, Goodfeed! allnighters, DS rap, DAVID! ONE! Cute bro, mj. Tom, Dubes Tubes, HR-UGETWHATUNED. Living a new life with great memories of old times. Good luck to everyone-love u all. Keep in touch.

Heather Donlon: Basketball 1,2,3,4; Youth group member. Winning Dixon in 87-"Hmmm Baby!" winning in regionals in 88. Playing b-ball with and becoming great friends w/ L.S. and B.S. Dixon-88-89 w/ the team! Rooming w/ H.R., S.S., H.M. you guys are AWESOME!! "Morry's!" Dinner at J.B. winberie's w/ M.P. chocolate Fondue! Downstate at a Freshman in R.I. Hopefully still associated w/ basketball in some way. healthy, and in contact w/ my great friends from H.S.

Chris Doroba: Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; N-Club 4; SADD 2,4; Midnight riders 4; Peer Counseling 3. Hyatt, "Azel F", the —, McDonalds/library/hospital, "Snaps", jumping eggs, Cattle Company, soup, BOINK, "31 flavors, subway Bowling, coloring books, L.W.-2 much 4 words-Christopher James Oromi, March 18, 1988, spotlights, Mad Dans, foggy windows, Great America, Homecoming, Benha-

ha, ya poo! Arts room, N.Y.E. I love you! I see myself married (to C.O.) with two kids and still driving Elliot the Banana Boat!

Ivy Drazner: Swimming; SADD; Concert Choir. The first date and kiss I ever shared with Jeff. The first time I told him and he told me that we loved each other. The nasty bee incident. New Year's eve and falling off the bar stool. Prom Night. The big crash on Lincoln. Tennis with Michelle and Tammy. Homecoming with Brett. I see myself married with children. I'll be successful and rich. I'll own a shiny, dark blue, power controlled sports car.

Richard Dubin: Cabinet 1,4. Pres. 4; Union 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; N-Club 4; NHS 3,4; Grease 4; AAACE 4; Bronz Key, Silver Key, Ill. State Scholar. Bond-S.P., man's gotta do — Marc-Angert, pool, Rico-first/best bush. Oz-parties, we'll be seeing ya Rosati's. Trow-cheap sex? — no expensive sex, b.c., Alana Grip-driving lessons, fights. Tobes-Dessing, J.D. Trendy-each days full of new and WONDERFUL memories-LUVYA. the boys-SA/R.C. UNFORGETTABLE times — SOPHIE! No clue about occupation but hope to spend an eternity w/the beautiful girl who filled the empty space in my heart!

Jill Dubrow: Cabinet 1; Midnight riders 3. Argenzios bathroom and I.K.'s bathroom with C.U.; E.L. always wanting to do more. Soph year new Years with H.R. I'll never get it back! Fights and broken promises with R.U. New Years '89! E.N.-Claims Company, jacket in the sand box. How long does it last, two weeks? R.C.-Mxm, the lodge, S.A.B. shuffle, driving w—d, don't F, our apartment, busted by Bobbi (many times). Best friends forever, I love you! Masters!

Jeni Duda: Cheerleading 2; Cabinet 2,3; Pom pon 3; Band 1. Downstate '88, who could forget? road trip from Mad-town, "Houlians", contemplating body parts, Barf Bag, a private room-no interruptions, summer '88-want lunch? frozen waffles, Twins-lost that feeling, family, Pink Floyd, Bahama, beaches-Todd I love you! crimson and clover. special times, a sheriff-B. Kicking back Raggaes with all my pals, I love you all!

Maggie Duffy: Theater 1,2,3,4. Salute, Oliver, Stop the World, Godspell, Chorus Line, Bye Bye Birdie, Little Shop, Theater 219 Broadway, Fame, Grease; Thesbian 2,3,4; Expressions 1,2,3,4, Sec. 4; IMEA 4. A.S.-if you read me the material, I'll get an A. Kiss-Marquette, Lake Geneva, 20 shots? Fall through any ice lately? M.P. HURRICANES!!! K.G., K.S., P.T. "Always be together —" K.T.M. wholesome threesome! A.T.-some people shed more than others. All my love, forever, M.H.-Godspell!!! Kiss-best friends 4-ever!!! Happily married with two kids, a steady job in commerical advertising, living in California with a beach house in Oahu.

Ares Ebree: Track; International Night 3,4; Filipino Club 2,3,4, V.P. 2,3,4; Spanish Club 4. Voodoo, remember the t—n your locker? pizza boy, Pepsi incident with M. Ray, little group of friends around locker. Hey, thanks a lot for being there. Especially you, "Get along gang" starting "Flip" clup. Bombing raid during Halloween. Homecoming dinner, when everyone had a date except one. Meeting Riv "The Goddess." Ten years from now I plan to be earning \$20,000 a month in a multi-million dollar business.

Howard Edelman: Council 1; Gymnastics 1,2,3,4. Gymnastics, B.F. with T.S., push-ups, "you cheat", FLIRT, skiing/confessions/thin walls, Homecoming "I'm gonna ralph", Days Inn, M.B. "I'm so hot; gotta go to the bathroom, malled, T.C.H with Zelda, Big Dipper, The Joy of — sex. J.W. Quarters/carnival, "She grows with water". S.C., N.Y.E, punishment L.W Cherry?" J.K.

Steve Farmer: 1988-REAL fun, Dan, Von, Depeche-Doug E. Freshbourn, MEETING VAL-SIXTY FOUR, my love, coat rooms, Homecoming-I love you! Eric-Zayre, Limgelint, Medussa's, Rocket's, Moosehead Matt, Craig's Barfathon, Nicole, Sandy, Laura, CHIC, '88 summer, MADISON, Ramses/BS/GP, Mikey, beaches, Craigfake, MCKRIS, Wilmette terrorists, "guys from heck." I plan to be successful, filthy rich (but not corrupted) and a teacher of pottery in my spare time.

Marni Feig: Softball 2,3; Basketball 2. My most special experiences were the day I became best friends with Kris, when I was "intoxicated" and became "Lunar Eclipse" by mooning Chris and the manager at Children's Outlet, and at work's Christmas party dirty dancing with Vic with Judy and Ida, watching WHIZO! GEORGIO! BODAZ! ROCK BUTT! BEAN! THANKS! I see myself on Star Search '99 as a comedian. HA! HA! What a joke! (Dirty dancing on the sidelines.)

Randy Feldman: Jazz Band; Marching Band; Symphonic Band; Spanish Club; NHS; SNHS; Track; IMEA; Orchestra. Playing with neckties, rope, and muffers on Interstate 94; inventing Act VI of King Lear; talking with Thelma; exploring Qweechee; meeting San Francisco and Rudyard Kipling; doing something with the lever; waiting for heat; talking with the macrame monkey from hell; spending time with my favorite zucchini inventor. Hopefully as a doctor who can successfully identify the parts of the body correctly.

Edson Fernandez: Soccer 1; Current Events 2. Filipino Club 2,4; Ecology Club 3,4. Learning how to drive LI drop, Great America every 2 days during the summer, renting movies on weekends, Noiff Juffy Luna standing up on Wizard, wasting money on video games. Keith, yeah boy, Word! Ever and his truck. Playing ping pong. Drobnny's balloon movie. Jess, too! bad!! Where's Erwin, Chris!! Bik, hair out of place? A. married or B. bachelor with a high paying job, driving an antique car, getting four hours of sleep, workaholic.

Laura Ferrin: Spanish Club 1,2,3; Wrestlettes 1,2,3 Sec.; Childrens' Theater 1; Expressions 1,2; Medical Careers 1,2; Track 2; Math Team 2; Debat 3; Current Events 3; Peer Counseling 3,4; Operation Snowball 3,4; Leaders 3,4; Il. State SCHOLAR 4. The Friendly Confines-T.F., Ang., "the Red Man", Stv., cowoman, D.M. and his b-day. DHCF '88-JM, LL the lap, the camera. Taste of Chic. Acctg. w/L.V.-the pocket, bursting bl's. Debate trnys.-Fledderman, C.S. "What's a DA?" Trk-the F.R., Spag. "Beans, nutsies," Trips w/K.J. to see M.D.

Lisa Fischbach: Photography Club 1,2,3,4. Pres. 4; AFS; Yearbook. Getting back with old friend(s); pageant-16th (MIT); work-watching the kids grow/learning new skills (secretary); drivers license/car; photography (contests)/IFPO; times with friends esp. S.K. (12/30/87/12/29/88); turning 18; meeting new people (after 18); first concert-Pink Floyd DST-R; Friday nights/Coke/Pepsi; crazy classes-work? NL-R?; graduation '89! Happily married mother of two or four children (CM,CK,NJ,CA); owner of BSL or CPA.

Amy Flack: Orchestis 2,4; Theater 1,2,3,4; Amnesty 4. Sand castles & Juggling man; "Can I borrow your mascara?"; mushrooms, euglena, amoebas, and Shoma!"; B-fest, Glen or Glenda? Psycho; "What's that on your date's head?"; "I love you keychain"; Wow, neat-to-ken and grande Jets. I want to be a chicken farmer in Oklahoma. I plan to stock up on overalls and galoshes.

Rachel Fleming: French Club 4; Peer Counseling 4. MC Spic-D the Spanish Potato. Henry-wanna borrow my earrings. This is all just a big mistake! Arf! Arf! Dome! Geni-when you've started, you'll never stop, just promise, no more Christmas trees! Merry X-mas Rob-it was Geni's idea. Ugh! it's finally almost over! I LG even though you are AA. Hi Tony! Geni sa lush. Rob look it up. E-wanna spend the night? I see myself still in school trying to decide what my major is. Have a day!

Joel Fogelson: Drumline 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2; Symphonic Band 3,4; NHS 4; Concert Orchestra 3. Swimming 1. Kids listen to me, now I like easy studying when exams start to stop underling class klown Schtick. Learn to laugh at fellow students, gym teachers and adults. We have come to the gist of wetting ourselves in knowledge. Edistoun ti edisni si ohw rebmemer. Either as a successful business lawyer or the person who stuffs cotton in pill bottles.

Jeff Foda: Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Baseball 1,2. Going to Sammy Z's at lunch with Jana. Noda, O.B., Mighty Max, the huss man, moosen it up at Pontiac; handin out at Laramie with Miller, Bocher, Kiss, Malkin and Camp. I'll be a successful architect working in Chicago at some Architectual firm.

Gina Frake: D.L., M.N., T.W., & M.K. those late nights; K.S. almost 16 years of friendship have gone by and it just got better and better-is it broke? -I found the meaning of friendship when I found you for a friend. K.L.-Love those fun H.R. talks. D.P.-woodhaven times, S.T.-summer fun. J.K., I.D., H.O.,

I.F. and E.F. and special sis u guys are the best!! I plan to have a good job using my Spanish skills and making lots of money to take lots of vacations with my friends.

Christina Gabriel: Soccer 1; Hellenic Club 1; Orchestra 2,3; Debate 2,3; German Club 1,2,3,4, Pres. 3,4; Tutors Club 4; Yearbook 2,3,4; NHS 3,4. Looking back I remember most mt. hikes with X.G. at Augustana and those agonizing conflicts-shouls we? shouldn't we? Worrying about everything with P.N.-those wonderful physic days with J.L., and of course H.P.-couldn't have done the labs w/o him? Very interesting conversations with A.K.-nothing shocks me now! But my most treasured memories are of long walks, talks, letters, Turnabout, Prom and Homecoming-gazing at the Chicago skyline from the 95th floor of the Hancock with someone special.

Xyla Gatilao: Concert Orchestra 1,2,3,4, V.P. 3, Pres. 4; Spanish Club 2,3,4, Pres. 4; NHS 3,4; SNHS 3,4; Tutors Club 2,3,4; Current Events 3,4; Debate 2,3; Cafeteria mural 1; CYSO 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4. If I could bottle them... Times Suzanne and I loved mode, pickleball, and clayfeet (or was it play-doh?) CYSO trips and mid-skid philosophical questions-climbing Augustana Mts. w/ C.G., S.C., and H.P.-tour with Jenny and the pre-pubescent choir boys-float building with J.K. and J.V. -ugly faves w/V.Y., and times I shared with Brian. Never to be forgotten. Ten years from now I see myself taking the great Russ Ewing's advice-withdrawing my savings, placing them on top of my bed, and really getting high.

Ann Gazer: Expressions 1. Going to the movies with the crowd. Having Kristi talking to the screen. My Bon Jovi buddy Michelle. Dee Dee trying to get me to McGreevys. Kristi and her new found love Benny. Dee Dee and her pelloos. Going to the subway with Ivy and ordering a ginch. I love ya all! I see myself as the best graphic designer ever and getting drunk with all my friends especially Jenny and Lisa B.

Deandra Galarde: Swimming: Council. Well, seeing that I moved her in August '88, I met a lot of nice people. I got to meet the Dean A LOT, and consequently I got 25 detentions in 3 weeks! And this is when I met my boyfriend, Todd. I was a knight, now I am an Indian (or a turkey??). In ten years I see myself married to my boyfriend, Todd, and living on a beach in Hawaii!

Jason Gelber: Football 1,2,3,4. Lunches with R. N., R.O.B., M.S., J.F., J.V., V.R. and M.K. After school in the weight room and playing hoops with fly and Moltz. Clean-up at A.W.'s party; football games; blocked extra point. Homecoming and Turnabout with K.B., weekends with K.B. Newspaper class. Sat. pick up football games. Everything else. An assistant Football coach at a Division 1 university-on my way to the NFL.

Marc Geslani: Ill. State Scholar 4; Senate 1,2,3,4, Sec./Treasurer 3, Pres. 4; West Word 2,3,4. Editorial Director 3, Business Director 4; Union 4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Filipino Club 2,3,4. I have had many special experiences ranging from late-night discussions to constructing card board buildings and from being Senate president to being a freshman. I have been in cars, with many other people and on CH. 5. I have spent quality time in Chicago, Springfield (ICE), Washington D.C. and in room 103. If I was not contemplating life, I was living it, and if not that, I was either dead, asleep or in study hall. Thank you and good bye Niles West. Hopefully, in ten years, I will not have forgotten.

Kirsten Gieler: Theater 1,2,3,4. Celebration. Oliver. Inherit. Chorus Line. Pied Piper. Stop the World. Godspell. Theater 219. Bye, Bye Birdie. Little Shop. Evita. Fame-vocal director. Grease; Thesbian 1,2,3,4. V.P. 4; Expressions 1,2,3,4; Concert Choir 4; IMEA 3,4. MandT choir room! MD Marquette. Lake Geneva. trivial pursuit, red snow, wet noodle. I love you; KS red snow. Jack's, my mom's play, our friendship will never die; DH Austria, Werner, I or Z?; PT you look like a grandma; KG and CH I love you both; Thanks to all my friends for the best four years of my life. I see myself as a olympic gymnast with four fold medals and a professional mind reader.

Megan Goldish: Cabinet 2,3,4, Sec. 4, Pres. 2,3; Cheerleading 2,3,4, Capt. 2; Senate 4; Union, 2,3,4; Stop the World. I want to Get Off 2; Grease 4; Basketball 1; Soccer 2,3,4; AFS 2,4; French Club 2,3,4; Israeli Club 3,4; ECC 2,3; Midnight riders 3,4; SADD 2,3,4; Yearbook 4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Leaders 4; Fiesta Bowl 4; G.B. PM, RM, DC, NP, NG, DR, RC, AP, CK, JC, DW, JD, MH, MM, LS, LT - I luv u all! HR 320-RAD. Halfway run-BUSTED! C-leading. Bio. 3,4, downstate. EB-backrubs. RC-off! 2nd City. Fake ID's. see graffiti page-it's FULL! In business with Rachel Cohen naming lipsticks and nail-polishes, our favorites-"Razzle Dazzle Pink" and "Red Hot Red."

Tony Granatelli: Baseball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3. Playing cards with the gang A.C., M.S., S.T., Sweet candy. Sour Janice! Matt I don't even know you? Serious talks with A.C., hilarious talks with A.C. Good luck to you all! Scott-design buildings; Andy-build um; I'll do the legal documents; MaAtt can live in unal; K-State, her I come! In ten years I hope to be a growing criminal justice lawyer, living in North Shore with my wife Evie.

Scott Gripman: Football 1,2,3,4. Nadia-late-nights, strawberries and whipcream, BUBBLES! reckless driving, puff-list met, hugs-kisses, jealousy, fights, running away together, Teddy Bear, Ray Luvs Joy, and the twins forever!! Most of all, our LOVE!! Best friends-S.P.I.-MAO! MAROI-B.F.F., ba-boom???, log, New Years, pool parties, BEBE! 20 yrs., just friends sure? SOPHIE, Bachelor: life in the fast lane, red Corvette, and working my way to high class - or married to Nadia.

Mindy Grossberg: Cheerleading. Capt. 1,2; Cabinet 1,2,3,4. Treasurer 1,2. V.P. 3; Theater 2,4; SADD 1,2,3; Union 1,2,3,4, Pres. 4; ECC 2,4; NHS 4; Pom Pon 3,4; Peer Counseling 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; Midnight riders 3,4. Homecoming 86-NOO! 87-88 everything, sink, Pet Gabriel, sleeping in the hall-sorry Eric. Lost w/ N.P. and Eric-Altgate Garden-Ah! Pom Pon. Tour. What is this - on my chin! Ouija board. ROD! H.C.-watch out, Miss Young! J.C.-Jaimaca Schwartz-Feuscha. RED AND WHITE-where's my apple?? Downstate-busted! RC-the Choo Choo-great choice! Halloween 87 w/ DAWNIE-B.F. talks. Mel and Freddy in the cellar. Where's Nancy? Dianas-bowling with jrs. fireside talks w/ Calvin(bro) Jeff-leather couches-thanks for all your help! Meg-luscious & delicious. Beast-ops sorry! Hill-why is it your so white?! Howie-12:00! New Years at Ozies. To bestest buddies-I luv u. Eric-I'll meet you b/w Iowa and Indiana.

Sebouh Gueyikian: Rounding the bases, Cadillac style. Fireball. Being Samson T. Deere. Being a senior. Going to Uncle Rons' Steak House and getting kicked out. Monsters of Rock. Lunch with the boys. CD's. Assume the position, Flowers Park, J.I.S.M., Busted, me and my bat, that stupid by the bay song. Dregs forever. In a house in Barrington, as a doctor, in my Seville, with a wife and 18 kids.

Claudia Halbac: West of Edens 2,3,4; Current Events 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 3,4; SNHS 4; NHS 4. Gyros with Renee; Geometry class w/ Renee & Naomi-Anjum, Naomi stop talking! -2 A.M.-How's your English paper going phone calls w/ Michelle; black Monday in English; Ah! Pues, pon supuesto in spanish; Sophia & Randy. I'll be working for the United Nations, traveling extensively, living in a penthouse, and driving a sleek, black, Mercedes Benz.

Urik Halliday: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Swimming 1. Quarters on Sunday mornings at Dongers. Watching Pusshead throw out the anchor of Scott's boat into Lake Michigan. Criminal Trespassing at the Dome with M.S., M.B., M.R., J.V., P.L., R.H., G.N., J.G.

James Han: Baseball 1,2,3,4; Hockey 2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 3. Final 16 in hockey. Drinking with Sabs, Miguel, Tobes. "Hey Sabs! remember after Yana's party; the Johnson's Sir!" Coming back from Flowers. "Uh is Andy home?" "Can we use your phone?" "Cheering 'Big Bad Bart' on the stands with Strat and Tobes. Listening to G.N.R. Orch with Bea. Gym with Nancy. "Hey you want to borrow my car?" My "little" Bash. "OK guys, only nine people." Schramm's little dance on my table. Moreth's dance to O'Sweet Child. Bothering Havdala with Atsaves. Stops at Laramie and Macs. Mr. Geis class. The Big phone call. In ten years, I see myself to be fat and married with four kids.

Brian Hansen: Football 1; Swimming 2,3,4; German Club 3; German Exchange Program 3,4; Yearbook 4; Leaders 2. Endless summer nights with M.T. Cruising with P.O. and T.H. in T.H.'s Mustang. The trips to Germany '88 and '89. Weekend trips to Madison and Michigan State to "check out the college." Pizzia runs with T.S.A.H.H.H. and S.R. after swim meets. "Who's going to pay/1-y the waitress?"

Rebecca Hansen: Theater 1,2,3,4. Celebration. Stop The World. Godspell. Bye-Bye Birdie. Fame. Costume Steering Committee 3,4. Thesbian 2,3,4; White Honor Roll 1; Wrestlettes 1,2,3, Treasurer 2; German Club 3,4. Kevin. Teacher's Strike. Donder's Preaching. Patti. Coming to homeroom? Let's go sledding Meliss! Getting to know Elliott. Prom '87 '88 '89. Last Boys. Yeah Baby! Annie and J.A. Summer talks with Tammy. Homecoming-kissing L. with his eyes WIDE open. Oct. 30, 1988. I love you K.E.P. Hopefully I will be married to a special person who I love very much. Keep working - we'll make it!

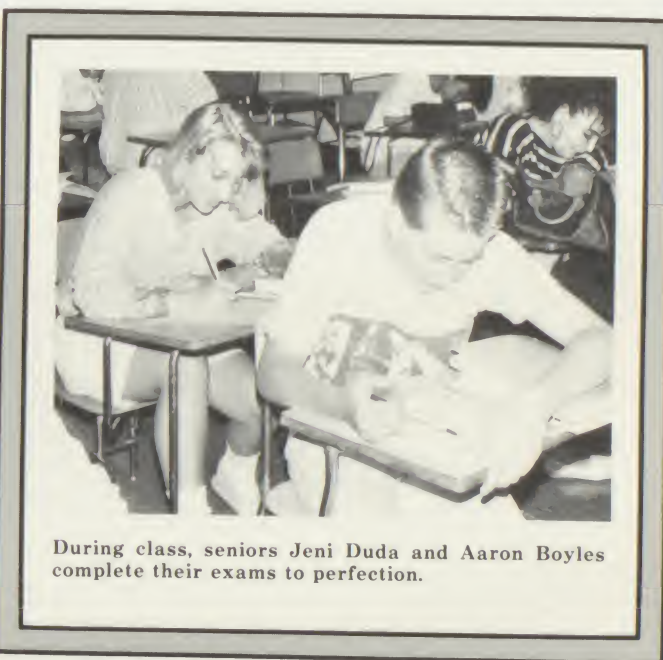
Doris Haromi: Kiss - "I'll just have a cocktail!" Europe will never be the same! Mary Lou. L.J.S. (every Friday) -Get that! Oups-Forget It! Are you gonna eat that? All jokes aside! Love Betty Jane. Val & Nina-downtown on Halloween! Dominics-Mop or scrubber? Memories forever! Lunchtime Maniacs- Love you always! A third grade teacher living with my wealthy husband and two year old daughter. Ashley, in our extravagant California home.

Andreas Harris: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1. Breaking my leg soph. year during baseball, getting beat up at Lorel, freezing (for awhile) in Wisc.. Having everyone mad at me for treating my "Ho" so bad, getting caught by J.H. after screwing around with L.F.. Camp George Williams. All the good times spent with Jill. I'll be living in a beautiful house, with a beautiful wife, and asking myself "Well, how did I get here?"

Judy Hartman: Midnight riders; SADD; Council; Medical Careers Club; Bronze Key. SL, JD, J.D. Seam. pff, oranges, chico, wonellie, hairpi, binger, hi-howareya?, frump dump lump, Floyd. Paula's, Jer monster, don't cry, Aunt Sarah, freebird, tough woman, Armadillo day, sisterhambi, PTA. looney, ogilvie, KTF, Mac & cheese, Mitch. HIGH TIME, BF-J + B, lights always shine, I love u. The gang- weekends, hey now, ROYAL BUST, best times. Ghostories. Clam. Tobes-matan. In ten years I plan to own my own Porsche, throw wild parties, and have the time of my life.

Michael Havdala: Westword 1,2,3,4. Photo Editor 2,3,4. Business Director 4; Photography Club 2,3,4, V.P. 4; Israeli Club 3,4; SADD 3,4; Yearbook 3,4. Taking West Word Opinion pictures and watching the people laugh as I take their picture. I see myself as a businessman or lawyer.

Carl Helwing: Theater-Godspell, Bye Bye Birdie, Hansel and Gretel, Little Shop of Horrors, Fame, Androcles and the Lion, Grease, Crew Odd Couple & Evita; Thesbian 2,3,4. Treasurer 3,4; Expressions 2,3,4. Treasurer 3, Pres. 4; NHS 4; Math Team 1; Peer Counseling 2,3,4. Leader 3,4; Leaders 2,3,4; Marching Band 1; Cabinet 1; Union 1 Yearbook 4; IMEA 3,4; National Merit Scholar Commended Student; Ill. State Scholar; OHSA. Karen-You are the most special force working in my life-Dec. 12, 87; Dec. 18, 87; Winter break 87-88; Memorial Day 88; Summer 88; Oct. 24, 88; Winter break 88-89; Jan. 14, 89. Boston-mousse, Mr. Moo, burning the bear. New Orleans-Granada, Mississippi. Like



During class, seniors Jeni Duda and Aaron Boyles complete their exams to perfection.

Hegghi with freedom rock man! I plan to be happily married to Karen with one child and another on the way while living in Vermont.

Melinda Hepner: Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; Expressions 1,2,3,4; Theater-Chorus Line. Stop the World. Godspell. Bye Bye Birdie. Little Shop of Horrors. Choreographer of Fame. Grease. AFS 4; Orchestra 4; Fiesta Bowl 3; M.B.-talking on the dock. M.G.-your Guakka loves you! underwear please? M.D.-the trip that never was. T.S. Phbsst! A.C. subway at midnight. BL. J.D.-Dingalings. J.D.-dance and eat. B.D.-it's a cow patty. K.S.-HAIR, your endless concern. THANKS! Steering Com. May we all learn to fly! Grease cast-always be together! Working in beautiful surroundings, teaching children, and singing and dancing in my spare time.

Tim Hieber: Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Swimming 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Timers Club 1,2,3,4. Killing time in my Mustang with friends. Partying with my friends and Absolut and Smirnoff. Bus rides home from winning swim meets. Meat lovers pizza. Commenting on people mothers. Practicing harder than I thought possible. New Years, Africans, and jeeps, insulting waitresses. Advising the expeditures of some Chicagoland company and still getting carded at "R" rated movies.

Tahli Hoffman: Theater-Celebration. Stop the World; Israeli Club 1,2,3. Hopefully by now I know what will come in the near future- whatever the situation I want you to know how special you guys are to me: Eric, Michelle, Marc, and Debbie. I look back at all the great memories and can't start to condense them into 50 words. Whatever will be FRIENDS FOREVER! Living in Israel with my husband and two children (twins) managing to pay the long distance calls to my friends in the U.S.

Pam Homicke: Theater 1,2; Choir Guard 3,4. Thanks for so many special experiences with: the Color Guard, C.G. get together, thanks to B.F., A.R., Pom Pon tryouts with S.B., my best experiences have to go to D.K., Homecoming '87; Birthday Parties, May 6, 1987. A scavenger hunt, and the best experience will be Prom '89! Love PAM. I see myself as a pre-school teacher or owner of a pre-school. I'll also be married to Dean.

Senior Survey

Gaylyn Hortelano: Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2; Soccer 4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Filmmaking Club 2,3,4; Sports Coordinator 2,3,4; Volleyball 88-Best wishes: You guys are the greatest! New Orleans 85-"Trolley" Where are we?" D.W. "Feeling self-conscious?" K.L.-Thanks for the small talk! S.T.-Wrestling at Dixie 87. "Soccer rules?" No way! B.R. "Where's your sister?" UJR always together! Long talks at N.W.R. L.H.J.H. M.E.H.S. P.S.J.H., etc. "What time is it?" Ten years from now, I see myself as an occupational therapist living with my "husband" in Denver, Colorado.

Humberto Hortua: Swimming 1,2,3,4; Captain 4; Football 2; West Ward 4; Wild times w. Groves-Forest; Safari rides, destroying houses, Foremost, pool hopping, shempe, Crashing S.H.'s car 7-11, A.Z. N.I.U. Mafingtonggers! Advice from D.R.-Die Bucks! Frosh talks w. M.N. 7 yrs. w. Dahlia. Homecoming 87-88. Greyhound Promises. 1st love, Purple shirt night. I don't know. Knock on wood. Our secret, J.R. date. 9 1/2 wks. Best girlfriend ever. I'll miss you and always love you. I plan to move to Jamaica, listen to reggae, and play with the dolphins.

Stacy Howe: Theater 1,2; Student Union 2; Photo Club 3,4; West Ward 3,4; Co-Sports Editor 4; Spectrum 3; C.A. Mighty Mouse, train ride; "Why can't I be you?" the cure, my pizza/chicken on salad, transformed nose, Mike's hair, what flows he do in his room, coogie boogie boogie, Poster Boy, Project X, Skateboarding, awesome hair, G.P., sandbox Y.A. Mr. Muscles (yeah right), orange! Sue, everyone else, THANKS! Two years from now, I hope to be a rich and famous photographer for a major newspaper at magazine.

Cheri Howe: Peer Counseling 1, K.K., A.G., and M.K. All the great times at the movies, A.P. Going shopping and having fun, A.V. For being such a good friend, M.K. All the great times on the phone. All the times watching the homecoming parades and football games in the rain with all my friends. Working with children and being married with children.

Tina Hradzich: Softball 1; Swimming 3; Don't-Bill, A.L.A. Dave's place, Melissa skating, cookies, the blonde with Mark, Rockhoppers, Daffa wood-wood, Tammy R. green outfit, Dee-must wing, Jean-vict crisy, Jimmy, your the ideal STV 27. Mike-J I love it and Tammy married to Cally. I wish you both GOOD LUCK! See ya all at the reunion! I see myself ten years from now as a kindergarten teacher. I would be married and have one child at the age of 27.

Kristina Hugel: Cross Country 1,2; German Club 3,4; Getting lectures from mom (M.B.) and dad (P.S.) about things I should have told them about. Talking distractions out to gym because of ditching the mamas with C.D. Sharing my life stories with L.V. during math classes. Getting trained to work with V.P. while both wondering why we didn't quit yet.

Anne Humphreys: Symphonic Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Orchestra 4; Big Band 4; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Sec. 3; Expressions 4; Color Guard 1; West of Edens 1; Editor 2; Tutor 1,4; Peer Counseling 1,2,3,4; AFS, V.P. 4; Seminar for Scholars 4; Amnesty 4; SADD 4; H. O'Brien Outstanding Soph. Student Leader. I will always remember the Boston tour (SCHNAPPS), running from Larry and Mark, New Orleans, Burban Street, getting grounded, S.V. Phoenix, all the junk, MBS, being 19 & you're not, using CS in the "out," Thank you to DEW for being a non-judgmental, supportive friend. Bill for believing in me and being a great role model. DAS could've been, J.W. for believing in me and teaching me the same, Basil and Mr. Koch for everything I've learned me to live, most of all S.L., teaching me to love. I see myself "walking that road" with Jack in the Ring! "Of the storm." Dear dreamer-come-your stranger.

Sue Howard: Kappa Kappa Kappa Club, Coming to the United States of America in freshman year. Fund trip from ISS, class in Sophomore year. Best of times with the best of friends, H.C., L.W., J.K., S.E., J.B. The first day in Napa, West, went back and forth five times and in the end of the hallway, still couldn't find the room for English. I hope to be a pharmacist in some medicine company.

Jacob Huchard: Medical Careers 3,4; Spanish Club 4; Bowling Club 4; Racquetball 4; Big Sota, 2, 3, 4; a doctor in Florida and ditch school from month. Yes, we are going to Ball. This Friday. God — the Boats are. Trying to comprehend Mr. Huggins's physics. Screaming in the stock exchange for and losing money big time. Also building fast cars and electronic surveillance for a hobby.

Sandra Jupp: Swimming 1,2; Council 2; Midnight riders 3,4; German Exchange 3,4; SADD 2; S.J. he a veg, just the best, T.M. cool w/water during that foot Wonderlake, J.B.D. K.L. Krutts, finally finding friendship, track ballads, H.R. 320, K.A.D. H.M. Kaulbach, hairpins, neurotic numtut, Sunday movies and the club, an academic soccer trips, 8-on-8 indoor lawn, G.C. L.E., M.K., try to have fun with it, all the talks and tears, C.L. 320, 325 rounds, soup at Jack's, rock-a-cue, Pease, others, Shaka cups, Paul "Bumping" saying, an, sleeping on beach, Cliff Lippard, MBSAAT, B.T. Peter Galtree, MBSA, MBS Forces, that's what you get! I'll just remember the great times, love you all for 11 years, I see myself with my own booming Mr. Bonut business in Australia.

Lonny Janssen: Making lots of friends in a short time. Having the same classes with my crushes which is my chance to look and talk to them, and of course the most important thing, I learned a lot from you, Thank you Niles Wood! I can see myself driving a red Corvette at Oakton Street with friends Grace, Theo, Jan, Wanda and Wendy.

Suzanne Jaschke: Volleyball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Peer Counseling 1,2,3,4; K.L., I loved T.H. & T.S. you've been the best & I'll see you in our apartment, we've got wheels! S.C. Thanks for all the hugs, letters, I swear, it's getting bigger. S.E. I'll be out of our 4 day weekend of a struggle but I'll be in the car! K.C. our top & our night up with the coffee, B.M. our nap session in your car, "Sweet" if you can't, L.H. 320, 325, S.S. I'll be the 2nd girl hope to still be in touch, you guys are the best. J.B. & S.L. a new pair of shoes, K.L. & C.L. "But it's not a leg!" J.L. "Did you get it?" V.P. all our talks & "hey babe" S.L., K.L., L.C., S.C., S.M. you guys mean so much, K.L. & L.V. by the way, I'll have a degree in Journalism, photo and I'll have a 509 with the license plate saying "250000."

Jessica Jenson: Cross Country 1,2; Track 1,2; NHS 1,4; German Club 1,2,3,4; Art Council 2,3; West of Edens 4; 10th and love, we've conquered the nine mile run! Library with J.H. and who could forget homecoming (that's my house) All that volleyball at Primm, also Nuthouse pack! C.S. History with



During a meet, senior Halina Orawiec heads for the finish line ahead of her Deerfield opponents.

Sac and M.C., my life with C.K., G.K. with Sam, K.C. with Hyung-Mi, all night in art room w. J.L., H.K., J.M. south end lobby, sitting with J.K., J.L. the three JS's, California Raisins and the dreaded candle! In the future I vow to visit graveyards and memorize the various body parts and their functions. I will be searching for the ex.

Hilary Kaden: Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Midnight riders 1,4; SADD 2,3; Cabinet 2,3,4; Union 3,4; Yearbook 3,4; OGGG Downstate 88, broken light at Jack's, Carl's parties, 5 man hot tub, crash, quit, one beach, Courtesy bagels, broken doberbell, new Years '86, '87, '89, nice convertible, lucky charms, roommates, M.C. What? Why is it your so white? I think not! Mr. Gault's glass, broken car seat, Vegas, Prom '88, On the edge of a dream, that's what friends are for, I love you Andy and I'll never forget these past four years.

Hak Joon Kang: Track 1,2,3,4; Korean Club 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2; Art Council 3,4; NHS 3,4; GHS 3,4; Tutor's Club 3,4; German Club 3,4; NW Bible Study 3,4; Yearbook Artist 4; Alas, my time has come, but I leave behind the legend of long wolf and Jus Yup. What can I say? I'll miss watching Sid and Lo, play cards, 4 years, what a swindle! Praise God, I'm free! GOOD BYE EVERYBODY! I'll be on a beach somewhere swimming, playing volleyball, drawing, and just plain bumming around.

Scott Katz: Football 4; Swimming 1,2; Concert Band 1,2; Symphonic Band 3,4; Jazz Band 1,2,3,4; Working at E.T.C., New Orleans tour, stair diving with Greg, spring break in Ft. Lauderdale with Brian, New Year's eve with Rusty, getting chased by Chicago police in "Fabrics," Halloween Jr. year, Fiesta Bowl, going to Carbondale with Marc and Aaron, New Years and sleepovers at my house, and much more! Being a successful lawyer, driving a Ferrari, and living in a condo in Boca Raton, Florida with my wife Maria.

Sheri Katz: Technical Theater 1,2; White House Roll, thespian, M.D. and K.G. Did you study? T.K. mouths 11-12 are you still awake? J.D. How are we going to go to the Prom? L.F. Look at those nuptials we had good times thanks for being such a great friend and to S.L. thanks for being there for me. Love You! ten years from now, I see myself as a college graduate, and having all my wishes come true.

Julie Katzman: Council 1, SADD. My most special experiences were when Jay and I were in the big car crash. The rusty bee experience. Remember at subway what is your last name Smith! In the hall, you would let him — you, Most of all thanks to all my friends and especially you Jay! I see myself flying rich at my big beautiful dream house with the perfect man, and we're just incredibly happy!

Yuri Kavgstra: Soccer 3; Concert Band 3,2; Symphonic Band 1,3; Marching Band 1,3,3; AFS 2,3; Theaters 1,2,3,4; Celebration, Salute To Disney, Cover, Shop the World, Pied Piper, Goldspell, Cold Couple, Blue-Blue Birdie, Hannel and Gertel, Little Shop, Spoon River, Fame, Andromeda and Lion, Grosse, Current Events 4; Expressions 4; Thespian 3,4; Seminar for Scholars 4; Annecorvation, Europe, Kenda-humorous, problems, Carl-talks, bartendecks, Maria-drinking, friendship and renewal, thank for all, Wright 4 years of friendship and great times, I love you, Stearning immittize-FAME! Liz and Cindy 2 great friends. Thank to all who've seen me through, High School's over! M. FINE! Teaching, writing, working for the world peace. Sharing a home with Matt and two females who will out up with us.

Kevin Kiedaisch: Swimming 1,2,3,4; Timers Club 2,3,4; NHS 1,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Tutor's Club 4; Ill. State Scholar 4; Swim team was a blast. I've never had so much fun. Talking to Tim about Chris Beach and Grandpa, Chop Chop! These past four years of Spanish have been a riot. Only a few new surprised, mind you, playing volleyball with Latach, stick figure, and all. Zero a nothing, Ah! I plan to go to college, transfer from place to place and finally become a mechanical engineer.

Kristy Kienicki: Peer Counseling. Meeting new friends at the football games. Going to the beach with M.B. to see the beef cakes. Going out to lunch with my good friend C.H. and going to the show with G.P. and A.C. Having good laughs while playing golf and having a good time with A.R. and A.E. I hope to be married and have a couple of children. I would like to live in San Francisco.

Christine Kim: Cabinet 2,3,4; Sec. 3; V.P. 2,4; NHS 2,3,4; SADD 2,3,4; Pres. 3; V.P. 4; French Club 2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Union 2,3,4; Senate 2,3,4; NHS 1,4; Ill. State Scholar Silver Key Bronze Key Red Banner Key, Soph. year NHS star, Mig almost getting raped downtown, Greek dining w. ZED, Migra, I'm seeing S. Anasav, eating, movie nights w. Beth and Parry, the Mont. Ward, men, (almost) relationship with Dave, Beth, "no man's land at me again! Homecoming drama with dork, best Michelle trip to Stanton library, Migra "I got named in that test." "What the venus flytrap?" M.C. almost prom 87, Anne-mi "bottomless pit." Mig-anniversary will always be annoying. Galt's temple.

Frank Kim: Cross Country 1, Track 1,2,3,4; Soccer 3; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; German Club 1,4; Korean Club 1,2,3,4; Medical Careers 3; NHS 1,4; Tutor's Club 4; T.C., who will we talk about now, "cover me!" tell me about S.P., founders of LC club, follow the wims, being followed, giving rides, E.D. I'll be my hair, BMR laughs, W.C., S.L., M.C., J.S.K., T.T. stay home on test day! Is the wrong test? Gong

to Wash. U., great time at Canaan.

Jeannie Kim: Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Art Council 1,2,3,4; Newspaper 2,3,4; NHS 4; Tutors Club 3,4; German Club 3,4; Swimming 1,2,3; West of Edens. Marija-Ouija, Hurricane, Princeton, Greece! "Oh my God I'm late!" Suzanne- willya fix my tire? Arf! Mary-ECE! Where's Craig the man? Maybe he's at Leona's! "Don't be a man driver!" JiSun-don't grocery shop with strangers. Just say NO! May (u woman)! Hapi Sushi Babe Now! Janey-Wildcats! Please, no more! Parv saiditall. James (undicated ACM)-build a wicked candle lately? Joe-jump my car. New Chgo library card? Javier-thicker, BOOM! AC rules! OLD.

JiSun Kim: Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Student Play 3,4; NHS 3,4; Korean Club 2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Math Team 2; Tutors Club 3,4; Soccer 2,3,4; JM-Um, UM, oh really? the first of many firsts, Ketchup at BS and almost getting to Woodfield, don't scream, I'll stop singing! Lunch with them and Suzanne. Nicole, how could you leave me?! Grocery shopping. No more libraries. JK- learn how to flirt, JB-Thank you. Leaders and Badminton-C.G. "Do you have a boyfriend?" Ten years from now I see myself married with two kids and a nice job. I hope to be very happy.

Tony Klancnik: Baseball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,3,4; Basketball 1,3; Leaders 2,3,4; N-Club 4. Summer days and nights partying at the Horse Bridge, Friday the 13th, 1989, I was lucky twice. Pool hopping, getting chased by the cops. Making our rounds at McDonalds. The Brew Club with a reputation PS, HR, JC, BM, AL, CR, BY, PM, and JR. Special thanks to DC and EB for saving my life. In ten years I would be a successful baseball pitcher, married to a blonde with two children and living in San Diego, California.

Dean Klemenz: Basketball 1,2; Football 2,3,4; All-Conference 3,4; Co-Capt. 4. A memorable moment in my years at West was being selected All-Conference and All-Area. I'd like to say thanks to the "group" It's in the morning for the good times. The best times of my years were spent with Pam. I hope she is with me, forever. Have a degree in accounting, be married to Pam, own a large house, be successful then grow old.

Megan Knowles: Symphonic Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Band 1,2,3,4; Tour 1,2,3,4; Student Produced Musical 2; Wrestling 1. My most memorable experiences are tour; Halloween with RF, MW, and TK; AK-her ice and her laugh; AH-we FINALLY found lighthouse beach! MWZ-the best lab partner-Have a day EH? SM-geometry; SB-strange talks and John Hancock; MW and SB-the two best friends I could have.

Sally Ko: Midnight riders 3,4; Peer Counseling 2,4; Yearbook 4. My most memorable experiences go to M.N. great talks, kickin friendship, S.L. and M.G. frats forever, T.S. can live with on without, R.S., S.F. secrets, H.C. 88, senior life, lunch crew, lets do lunch, C.R. anything and everything, HC 88, senior life, EFF, E.C. M.J., T.S., etc. a stepping stone. Ten years from now I see myself in jail for spraying graffiti all over the side of buildings in SoHo.

Julie Kohl: Band 1; Peer Counseling 1,2,3; Seminars for Scholars 4; Midnight riders 4; Yearbook 4. My most special high school experiences are the homeroom stories, Ryoko's laugh, Michelle-extra

bird, Yodva, Yearbook, truck and car. Cindy-late night calls, your "2 dream men." Elena-study hall sun tanning. Jill-You will marry him. I see myself married to madman's friend, Stacy married to Forrest, and Mandy Married to the manager of McDonalds or T-Monster.

Tammy Krueger: I.D. on New Years when she passed out with her head in the toilet. All my times with Mike. Going with Wally to Jack's at 12:30 on a school night. Jen coming into ceramics and calling him dad and doing his Bob and Doug impression. Meow, Meow, Meow with Tina and Tammy in NW Jen at Cyndy's (I don't remember!) Probably married with some kids and also mentally disturbed from everything (I not that, partying with J.B.)

Ali Kwon: Pom Pon 2,3,4; NHS 3,4; German Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 2,3,4; AFS 1,2,3; Leaders 2,3,4; Orchestra 2,3; Peer Counseling 2,3; Yearbook 2,3,4; SADD 2. My 4 yrs. here were filled with the most wonderful experiences shared with the greatest friends. R.P.-Unforgettable exp, times, talks, friendship. C.G. Don't do anything I would do. H.M.-study buddies, nap time? J.C.-U of I, oh boy, it's in our blood. J.Y.-MEN! N'Western renevous. J.V.-Beatles rule, X-mas, talks, LAUGH! friends forever? that's a long time. You're awesome. J.C.-everlasting f-ship, I appreciate you. Movie pals; never go shopping or ice skating. Hungry? D.M.-MR. SARCASM! body proportionment, what's wrong w/ my knees? J.K.-cook-ies! J.T. Sweetie of a lil' sis. R.F.-let's clean house and eat. PomP-"I just can't get enough! Thanz!

Andy LaLiberty: Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; N-Club 4; Peer Counseling 3,4. Best times with boys of summer (B.Y., J.S., C.R., B.M., M.A., R.U.) B.M. plungers of chainsaws? C.R. helpful hints on relationships. B.Y. time is a virtue. P.S. harder forehead. J.S. no Mickey's? R.U. Bogart. Times with E.S. cherished. Experiencing K.P. T.S. remembered. football, cruiser, Tommy Rubs, Forest, 4 B's, mail boxes, M.G.P.D., pool hops, cleaning churches, Ace and three pot, Moosed! "89" a breed apart. Funding and housing J.S. when he loses the lottery. Also I see myself keeping C.R. away from young guys.

Kristina Lall: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Photo Club 3,4. My most special experiences were being all-tournament, all-conference, and captain in soccer. Also having Sandy as my soccer buddy, locker partner, and my best friend! I also won't forget my trig. class with Steve. By the year 2000, I see myself as having the biggest Sylvester Stallone photo collection.

Cia Lallas: Gymnastics 1,2,3; N-Club 4; SADD 4; Midnight riders 4. S.C.-passing out; the Dix; hard liquor. J.W.-I need a boyfriend; Hooters; stupid people. P.C.-Ups-N-Downs; looking for Shan; whip-lash. K.S.-shoes; grim pepper; Burger King. church. K.P.-the men; deep breathing; Louise: snots. C.K.-forget him. C.D.-Boink!; unneeded, unwanted stress. M.B.-get a job, support the family. T.S.-Ugh. Matty-Thanz for everything. I love you!

John Lally: Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-Capt. 2,4; Baseball 1; West Word 2,4. A.H. breaking every major record in his body including his head. "The Ho." Leon the bus driver driving us to Indiana. Pontiac Coach Meyer's canpions. J.S. telling the cop to clock the tree after being stopped for speeding. J.V. doughnut fest. M.K.'s sugar highs. Bombing the riders freshman year with J.R., T.S., B.D. Hopefully working in T.V. radio, or journalism with my own sports show or column.

Judy Lapp: Midnight riders 3,4. Scams, Paula's, convertible in a car, CTA bus-(gin); gorgeous, Downstate '88; JAIL, playing in snow; one frog, two eyes, in a puddle, crudlunk, secret lover, 4 BFF; with or without you, switch; Hotel California. lazer show; deep dark secrets, New Year's; Jackson-son, box on head; biology class; people always bother you S.R. I see myself ten years from now in the Niles Police Station being arrested for throwing a party at the Royal Motel.

Charles Larenas: SADD 3,4; Spanish Club 3,4. Jason-driving w/o a license, close calls, Pratt, Ed's traffic light, the P.O.S. Megan-ELVIS IS ALIVE? What color for tomorrow? Snyder's class w/ J.V. and P.S. chess pieces? Rob-lunch for two years, no more Abe's or Tina's! Matt and John-Green Bay Road. Chris-thanks for Hilla's class. I see myself living in my Mustang.

Stacey Lasker: Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Midnight riders 3,4; Yearbook 4. Florida '89; Patricia's; Downstate '88; Royal 6; Jail; 8-ball; spring break '89; Scott, oh well; "Hi Heiny"; Hilary, need a new doorbell? Dane-waa; family; stairmaster; Party week; Mmyum, big—; vodka and gatorade; Doobie woobie, Smokey Tokey; Head in toilet-1 hour; Danielle's convertible; memories with Kevin; Love to my duck in Florida; I'm gonna miss you guys; Luv ya' all. In the future I would like to marry a rich man, stay out of control, and be as cool as Karla.

Corinna Law: Chinese Club 2,3,4; Photography Club 3. First year of high school, 2 years of H.R. with Sae, 1 year of lunch with my cousin, I met my boyfriend last summer vacation (right after my long and deep talks on the phone w/ Ricky. B-day), Advanced Dance 3, and also not to forget my tow brothers Seung Lee and Simon, my close friends Jenny and Sae. Ten years from now I will be successful in my career.

Agnes Lee: Korean Club 1,2,3,4. My most memorable experiences in high school have been with: Melvina-blood sister, camping trips, M.E., sleep overs, youth parties, gossiping, marshmallows, "peanut," and all the other great memories you have given me! Kat-tears, put-downs, college guys, Turnabout & Prom. Thanz for everything. Connie-G.O., CBS, Turnabout (hal) poems, broken hearts, Fehlyn-knock knock? What's Koolimish? Senada-best advice and friendship. Melvinster-what 64 crayons? Chubby Cheeks-M.E. guys, Oriental Express, Jamie, J.C. Kitty and Candy (you thought I forgot?), bestest friendships, sleep-overs, magic wand, flowers, Turnabout, and G.L.O.W. fights. Bok Choi-oh yeah! Cigot and parties forever! Thank you all, for you have been friends I ever had!

Amy Lee: Council 2,3; AFS 1,3. Reatard-best friend 4 yrs. If I had the chance to do it over-I wouldn't change a thing! (Bobo) Mam-in-law-thanz for a million phone conversations; esp. New Yrs. '88, JR-gross stories in 222. Joe-keep up the faith. Rknee- "hey stupid flip-been to good parties lately?" S.K.-don't be such a socialite! Aggie-keep on smilin'; never cut that gorgeous hair, promise? C.K.-"Farewell." In love with the love of my life (my husband).

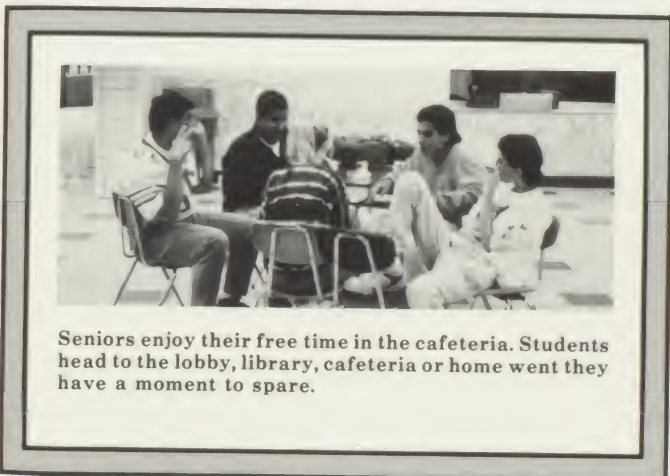
James Lee: I was a Niles West student, that's all you need to know. Tinkling on the world-Java. Driving around and beating up Jovo. Forming "Winter"-two debaters. Contemplating-Wookie. Talking the Yoon. Living the American dream-HJK and Hajima. "Baker's Square, Our Place, Wonder Woman, Iron Hide, Addiction, Bruises, the wa-hee, Hume, Blazers, Robotech, Roses" Be strong. O.K.O. hmm? FAVH! A lawyer living in a loft w/ my successful school teacher, living one dream: together, forever, with a giant bath tub.

Elena Leibovich: Orchestra 1; Orchestra 1; Cabinet 2,3; Soccer 2; Midnight riders 3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3. C.U. Northern "Good Time" "I want his b—b—" Great snacks & talks. G.M. summer '85, climbing window; E.N. can opener?; J.D. your party!! I.K. camp talks; S.J. "Not a keg!" Y.D. Daytona; S.P. morning trips; G.B. "Que Pasa talks" J.C. "Let's work out!" All the great times I Luv You! In ten years-driving a Ferrari, having lunch w/ Cindy at Ritz and visiting Gordie and her 28 kids.

Naomi Levin: Ushers Club 1,2; White Honor Roll 1,2; West of Edens 3,4; Bronz Key 3; Ill. State Scholar 4; National Merit Commended Student 4. RM-what is he DOING in there? Tennis, thanks God I brought the frisbee, talking about BDCG and DDR, shopping? (maybe next lifetime), Greeks (?); CH-SAT night drivers (I wish there could have been more), long talks, DEF LEPPARD; MK-Batt's lectures, HJ concert; AG-we miss you; AS, MR. KK, LP, and everyone else-thanks for all the good times and memories; RL-good luck at NW. In ten years I will be a rich, successful business-person and I definitely WON't be working at Jewel.

Michelle Lewis: West Word 3,4; Feature Editor 3; Editor-in-Chief 4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Leader 4; Tutors Club 3,4; Israeli Club 1,2,3,4, Sec. 2; V.P. 3; Volleyball 1; NHS 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4. Too many special experiences that I'll never forget. "Beach bumming" with H.F. and dialy Oakton lobby gossip. All the good times with M.B. and A.B. friends forever! Late night studying with M.S. and C.H. Unforgettable newspaper Sundays with the crazy staff, especially E.P. and M.A. To N.P. and J.M. take care and good luck. I'll miss all of you! In ten years I will be a famous television journalist, similar to Barbara Walters, and head news anchor on the NBC News.

Beth Lichtenstein: Thespian 1,2,3,4. Pres. Expressions 2,3,4, V.P.; Orchestra 1,2,3,4. Sec., Pow Wow



Seniors enjoy their free time in the cafeteria. Students head to the lobby, library, cafeteria or home went they have a moment to spare.

credit?!, mods 14-16 senior year, my AM radio, 12/16/88- Twiins w/K.C.K. and I'll never forget the FIGHTS, the fun, and the friendship with Terry and Anna! I luv you guys!! Good luck everyone and thanz for the memories.

Tracy Kozil: Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Band 1,2; Student Produced Musical 2; German Exchange Program 1,2,3; AFS 1,2,3; SADD 1; Ushers Club 1. Maria-party-getting drunk. St. Louis with Germans, Great America. Megan-so pure, mice problem?, great talks and friendship and KEVIN!! COLLEGE!! Suzy-great smile, talks about Joel, Champaign, Pictionary. Anne-Ricky, almost getting into an accident, a great friendship. Yuri- definitely one of a kind. You're great, NEVER CHANGE. Debbie-Luv ya, Becak-getting drunk.

Margaret Kozlowski: Gymnastics 1,2,3. Microwave dilemma. Orange colors everywhere. Dr. Spock ears. Doves and purple dinosaurs. Dancing partner. Howard Jones. Fervent by the track. Jazz Fest. Yes/No cards, wine cooler snowflakes. Nosebleed stories. Ambitious friends. Pursuing a successful career in the field I will soon choose to major in, in college.

Tami Kramer: Basketball 2; Softball 1,2; SADD 1,2; Cabinet 2; Peer Counseling 2; Leaders 2,3,4; Band 3; Midnight riders 4. "8 of us" behind Kathy's apartment, pididles, plan A, New Year's, "I'll never." all-nighters, downtown, limos, J.D., "Raw", 10:49, predictions, #11-18, tour, ISU, NIU, Quarters, homecomings, Benih-ha, proms, Georgia, carrots, B.O.F., Kathy's parties, jackets Paige's house, "Axel F", BLW, Hyatt, dreams, "phone calls", IIB. Malvert, Monopoly, LUV YA ALL! VAMOS A LA PLAYA! I will be "managing Kathy's Tiny Tot, with Sue advertising, Linda bringing the pets, Scott's our lawyer, and Brian's our FBI agent."

Susan Kreimer: West Of Edens 2; French Club 2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Newspaper 3,4; NHS 3,4; Bronz Key 3; Seminars for Scholars 4; Ill. State Scholar 4. My most special experiences were times spent with friends, party at Omega. I.D.- thanks for being a sweet friend. I'll never forget the ways you made me laugh with your jokes (especially Ronald McDonald) D.W.- we shared a lot of fun-don't ever forget two halloweens! Ten years from now I hope to be very succesful-to have attained everything I deserved.

Ivy Kron: Volleyball 1; Cabinet 1,2,3,4, Sec. 2; Union 1,2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; SADD 3; Midnight riders 3,4. Stacy-watch out for the Psychic powers, George, Weasels. Mindy-fingers, air plane, I gotta throw up, growling, bing, Northwestern. Nancy- food overnights, many men. Estelle-

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1,2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; Spring Play 1,3,4; Children's Theater 2,3; Theater 219 1,2,3; NHS 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Pom Pon 4; Tour 1,2,3; Muncie 1,2,3; Ill. State Scholar 4; Pres. Physical Award 1,2,3; C.H. - one more slap and it's even; M.D.-N.Y. busted, found your wallet yet? M.H. - Kosher grape forever! inhaling skin. "all my love" Baby V; K.S.-our dirty trade marks, only you; C.H., M.H., M.D., P.T., K.G., Y.K., K.S., M.A.-Godspell and Little Shop forever awesome. Hope for only great theater memories. Queenstein- treasuring every moment. BFF: I'll be an artsy career woman living in a 5th floor studio in N.Y.C. I'll also own a modern art gallery.

Susan Lieberman: Cabinet 1,2,3; Peer Counseling 3; Midnight riders 3,4; J.H., J.D., J.L.-babababooies, L.O.-L.A.; movie-hi, baked, Aiko, play? bingers, don't — up, so wasted: tough women creeper: burning bowl, frumpy, dumpy & lumpy. Royal 6 bust. Madrona, h-c-walls. Scams-M.C., P.P. //f S.R. Vadricta Dimonico GA "Cola," laughs, B.D.B.I. never amaze me. H.R. boot legs, Cheech & Chong & good times, R.U. cool memories J.B. grab it. TO ALL: KEEP THE FAITH. Nae, dame, brown bush, hair ball bud. crimson & clover & vox. I see myself still jamming and partying with my old buddies. Take everyone. I'll see you around.-Bye!

Jordan Light: Photo Club. Windsurfing Maui, windsurfing Florida, getting pictures of people around school. Ten years from now I see myself back at Niles West teaching future Indians (or whatever they change it to) physics, and driving Mr. Dvorak's Corvette.

John Liu: Cross Country 1,2; Swimming 1,2,3; Tennis 2,3,4; Math Team 1,2,3; Chess Club 1,2,3,4; Chinese Club 2,3,4; NHS 3,4; German Club 4; Tutors Club 4. Good bye to "Doctor Data," Mr. D.H. you're almost perfect, but just ALMOST! R.C., N.Z., E.S. remember the flying eggs, shopping at West. Oh! By the way Mr. J.S., do you want me to get out? Sure! No problem! Mrs. A.G. & Mrs. B.A. finished the essays. Good-bye Moooooo. Hopefully, in the nearest future I will be a valid member of B.Patel's & A.S.'s "superstud" club.

Tony Liu: Volleyball 3,4; Korean Club 4; Chinese Club 3. Winning N-club volleyball tournament '88, starting the first Boys' Volleyball Team, and came 3rd in the state. Beating GBS in the final. Laying out in the beach off the coast of Southern California.

Kelli Lochner: Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Capt. 4; Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Having the best G.D. friends possible! Suzette, Sandy, Lori, Heather, Gloria. The New Years we spent together. Parties, dances, talk sessions-SCOTT it's 6:00 am (I learned a lot) Forest parties; being bestest friends with Suzette; meeting and being with Danny; spring break 89?? Suzette-How do I use it? Marci, Glo, Lana, Amy, have a great time next year. LOVE YOU ALL! Ten years from now I will be happily married with 3 kids, living next door to Suzette and her family.

Rosario Luisi: Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1,2,4. To Hwan-don't go to sleep when you drive. To Andy Apostolous-take care of the 267 pig pipe. To Andy Zodolska-Eddie Rockets, Limelight-racing GSXR's at 4:00 am. To Romio K.-Corvettes forever. To Sofie: I love you. I will make you very happy for a long time. I see myself very well off, married to Sofie, living up our lives the way they should be.

Andy Lundsberg: Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; Wrestling 4; Volleyball 3,4; Economics field trip with T.P. and J.A. Scamming at Trak Auto, Wards, and M.C. with J.A., A.M., and T.Q. and the Brew Crew. E.B.'s disagreement with exit signs. Taking M.A.'s uncle's car and getting arrested.

Stacy Lutz: Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Pres. 4; Union 1,2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Midnight Riders 3,4; SADD 3; Marina: "The rounds," Squirt, "Hi Mike . . ." and eggs, Ivy: File cabinets and floors, George, and G's. Cindy: Thanksgiving Bowling and talks and talks. Debbie: Ilona Songradi, Jack's, and "the rounds." Mindy: "My honey," and parking lot dancing. Forrest: the best times of my life, all my love always. Also — maybe someday. I see myself as a successful psychologist, happily married with two children and being interviewed on "The Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous."

Mikhail Lyubansky: Basketball 1; Soccer 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Tennis 3,4; Newspaper 2,3,4; NHS 4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Tutors Club 4; Playing ball at Laramie and the "Y." Soccer-the long bus rides, the "mud" games, the sports "arguments" or discussions with anyone who'd dare. Jason-peel your skin off the floor-you were wiped out. All of the funny jokes and stories anyone ever told me. Noel, can you start my car. Tom, I got full house-you lose, ping-pong too. Married to a beautiful blond, no arguments. The house would be filled with humor and everyone would be required to tell a good joke to get dinner.

Renee Makdah: West of Edens 3,4; Ushers Club 2; Trying to figure out 'what he was doing in there?' and 'why they liked F.T.R.H.'? Nothing can beat geometry class soph year. Claudia, never take another chemistry class, at least when I'm around. Naomi, just when we thought we knew them, they end up being dorks.

Demitra Makedonski: Hellenic Club 4; Midnight Riders 4; Ms. Cleanaro! Radar glasses, stakeouts, Bond 007 and 009, Melissa "B", CAR KEYS, fights; Bruno & Brutus (HA!) Haircuts in I.D. Leech, Gupie, UR AWM "9", Homecoming '88, thanx "J." Patty: remember the odium! HG2 Formula the sequel, Bond "theme", Spy #1, Morning confos, Sue & Spiro. Good luck to all my friends — I LUV YOU ALL! I see myself in ten years married to the perfect guy, having a perfect family and career, just like the Huxtables and Keatons. Just Perfect!

Jason Malkin: Swimming 1,2; Aeronautics 1,2,3; SADD 3; Spanish Club 3,4; Current Events 3; Orisic D&D, Mailbox, Baker's Square, skiing, Brooke and Michella, great views Theisen, Jason, Spring Break '88, Chas, thanx, Noz nice driving, Gayle N-S-E-W, Jim- skiing and Greek lessons, Lebo-memorable quotes, Slouch, Miller, Baker & Foss, SB '89, the lo, Jeff's house, Def Leppard, Kassie (Kuf) every weekend and the Bowl(?) Ten years from now I see myself knee deep in bird shit at Med School.

Marnie Malnedoff: Diving 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Yearbook 4; Diving with New Trier, Shanin- white suit, illyce- suncheros, stage dives, reverses, Niki- Louie, shut up! I don't care! Twisters, I'm sunburned, that didn't hurt! L. Caesar's with Dee (Pan Pan), sa.u. wars. Dee- "tails", crazy bread. Ten years from now I will be having a reunion with Dee.

Charlie Man: Waterboy 1; Swim meet time keeper; Working message board; Being part of the freshman homeroom to win the Can Foods Drive, repeated win senior year, meeting new people at the freshman/sophomore mixer, after my first 2 weeks of school freshman year, I was transferred into a higher math class. Ten years from now I see myself out in the work field, attempting to reach my goals.

Rob Mandell: Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2; N-Club; Pulling foreign substances at the auto lab with Eric B., having the gang in "THE BASEMENT" every weekend, pulling bingers with Whinney, Herk- thanks for getting me started guys! Purchasing my RELI 24 Pontiac Grand Prix, I'll always love you. To hearing all of Greg B's sex stories. Especially to Nikki: A GREAT 2 YEARS! Ten years from now- it's between two things: I'll most likely be a brain surgeon, since that's all I studied in H.S. But if not, maybe National Wrecking will take me.

Jane Martinez: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Debate 2,3; Class Cabinet 1,2; Art Council 3,4; French Club 1,3,4; Spanish Club 4; Illinois State Scholar 4; N.P.- California '87, frozen yogurt, Homecoming '88, George "B/F/F. S.C.- Turnabout '88, Moscow at Night with Greg and Bob. J.K.- "So many men, so little time." Matt & Jeff- I know, "There's alot of fish in the sea." Bob- no more closets, okay? Sharing fun times. Remember the "French" lessons? California '88 with Shane — UNFORGETTABLE. My future- having a successful career, living in California, drinking tropical coolers under palm trees with my wealthy husband as we kick back and relax.

Owen Masterton: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Varsity 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 1; Volleyball 3,4; Varsity 4; Riding to K.B. with A.H. Flat tire, M.D., B.B., A.H., New years '88, sunburn N/N, A.T. "Shut up!" farm, Tower Beach, -45o water, Homecoming K.R. twice like a SMF, A.H.- busted, Wisconsin. L.F.- winning F.Z.A. Beating Deerfield with 12 seconds left, 7 in a row, Awww — that's B.S. Ten years from now I plan to be care-free and on a Harley.

Heather McCulloh: Volleyball 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Soccer 1,3,4; Pom Pon 3,4; Midnight Riders 3,4; NHS 3,4; German Club 2,3,4; Peer Counseling 3,4; Fun nites out w/ (Tall girls club.) Rap sessions, forest parties — Best group of friends K.L., S.J., L.C., S.J., rounds, phone calls holy clothes, runs, I LUV U GUYS. Pommers- thanks for the great times, Red & White! Kris- b-day. P.S.- Homecoming '88, thanks for all the fun times and special memories.

Jenny McGeary: Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Early morning bus rides, surviving AP History and ML with Bea. A lasting relationship with Katy, the Doors, Beatles, and politics with Amy. High speed rides to and from CYSO and Taste with Joe. Janine! oldest friend, CYSO, Germany, Spanish, New Orleans, and much laughter.

Jason McGuire: Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; S.G.- busted with Rose, shotgun, OZ, our scamming, hockey, BIC- closest best friend- the estab, daze. M.B. Hockey, playing pool. J.B.- best of times, driving round, Toyota. A.B.- gymnastics, R.D.- awesome bashes. P.S.- busted again, best of friends. Sandy- I love you, best thing that ever happened to me. Ten years from now I will be loving Sandy Stergios just like I am now. I love you again Sandy. You're the best. It will never end. FOREVER!

Keith McMath: Flip Club 2; Cross Country 3; Track and Field 1,2,3,4; Chris- where's Erwin? Jerry-think mint. Israel- do you own a comb? Edson- do I hear an echo? Ever- PSSST WORD! Jess- feed the machines. Noel- damn WB's! Ten years from now I see: mansion on a hill, Rolls in the garage, hounds of girls, body guards, minks and diamonds, rocking 'through heaven, even own a DC 747.

Pat Merkel: Football 1,2,4; Baseball 1,2; Wrestling 1; SADD; Bikes- Paul, Jim, Dubin, Parties (always under age), Jed's van- brother's Camero, swinging on rope. Paul's sparrow, Jim rock TOSSER, and slow runner Rob, John, Jae, Ang, Evan. The cut (white beast). Winston- mind games. My Camero. The DEAD. Lule- summer beaches, BEST- Wooden bats, targets, late night. Ten years from now I see myself married stable, living on a beach.

Cari Miller: Soccer 1,2,4; Volleyball 1; SADD 4; Midnight Riders 3,4; Wrestlettes 1,2; You want some, Pig me, driving illegally, tandem, Limo's, first you have to tease it, Heidi, crashes, "500", my parties, busted: Halloween, froxen waffles, Laramie, "Hey we want some ——" me, K.B. R.M., G.B., white hen runs, Help, — boom, — down stairs I went. "Weeee" Tony Hanes, obsession with Rob L., "Nae Nae" Ten years from now I see myself married with ? kids, and, of course, still living on the edge. I love to live dangerously.

David Miller: Football 1, Basketball 1,3,4; Gonzales- an awesome four years with Jack Daniels and "the chair", Billy Idol, the campground, Masca, cereza con so pape. Slouch- zebras, hooch, "cops, let's go", Montazumal revenge, Rock concerts, Malloslilimes, salt. B.U. stogies, "small like the forest", the estab, 1,2, knives and jackets, hoops, Halloween soph year. Bok- the bowl, 4th of July in Wis., ANTHRAX, bikes, boots, Harley's, "gimme a square." J.M. - the boat & tequila, spring break '89. Shay- New Years Even, bathrooms, Caligula, "funny haha, or funny weird?", talks, Christman Eve, all my love.

Bert Mohrdeck: Football 1,4; Baseball 1,2; Track 4; Leaders 2,3,4; N-Club 4; Fondest memories of forest bashes, horse bridge, — cop chase, pool hoppin', garbage night. List, laps to magnet, Real Brew Crew, — C.R., A.L., B.Y., P.S., H.R., T.K., J.S., J.R., H.H., A.Z., P.M., J.C. Thanks for hangovers, safari rides with Tex, Homecoming bus, fire hudsons, Holiday Inn Iowa, driving in egg, New Years '89, down by bay bashes, I'm bussin', visine for H.R., Peggy- thanks for good times and memories.

Sean Mollet: Soccer 1; Basketball 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Matt- those long rides to Lake Forest. MUM BABE!! Scot- conspiracy!! Sascha- learn to play the guitar! Stasia- un—— believable, modified study hall. Ten years from now I see myself married to Sascha and flying for a major airline, or playing baseball.

Maria Moloney: Cheerleading 3,4; Italian Club 4; Midnight Riders 3,4; Vanshergenberger, MG- Chi Chi's, roger's boots, L.T. La Bamba, Hiyaan, Uch! LS- captain? We've got the slices up w/ above, J.P. Biddy's, BW and VA, who's next? MG, DC- Downstate '88, Motel 6, Dhief Illini, JS, Ugh! MG, LS, L.T. Arizona roomies, never again. Pock, dock, Track- friends 4 ever. LS, L.T.- lip sync, hey rosita. L.P.- my name is WD. I will be a retired millionaire and own several bars and real estate and drive to my reunion kicking back in my jacuzzi on the back of my stretch, convertible, Rolls Royce limo.

Scott Moreth: Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Basketball 1; Peer Counseling 3; All those talks and times with A.B. — best friends 'till the end! Bashes on Mr. Dreg out S.T., S.G., B.D., the magnets, advice from A.P., J.M., K.N., and L.J. Thanx, thrash! S.W. Gr'R forever! K.L.- a special friend, love ya. S.M.- rides, RUSH! I thank all, twas fun! I see Scott Whelan and myself the proud owners of a Lou Malnatis pizzeria on the campus of Notre Dame.

David Morris: Concert Band 1; Symphonic Band 2,3,4; Jazz Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Oliver 1; Stop the World 2; NU Solo Contest 2,3; Orchestra 2,3,4; Seminar for Scholars 4; NHS 3,4; Spanish National Honor Society 4; Drumline 3; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Times with RF, band trips Marengo, Whitewater, Boston, New Orleans with round walking down Bourbon Street, Phoenix, downstate with Jazz Band, the moosehead concerts at Ravinia, Chick Corea and my muffler. SM- times on the phone, Homecoming, late night movies at my house in HP, Hilter youth, Jail Bait, surprise me! Is this your gum? What are you looking at? Gag reflex. Troubles w/MW. All the good times w/ JC, JP, EO, Charles, JP- muy bien, I ksi.

Jennifer Moyer: To my three best friends VB, MD, KT, you guys are the greatest, I luv you! VB- always remember experiences with the city guys, MD- your big mouth with my window. KT- exactly, 10,000! And to Marc- always remember our first New Years together. I love ya! MD and VB PUT AS scorekeepers. Ten years from now I see myself married, 2 kids, and owner of a world famous travel agency.

Gordie Mraovic: Peer Counseling 2,3; Student Union 3; Cabinet 2; Midnight Riders 3,4; Since 9/19/87 "AND STILL STRONG!" I LUV U TIM! 10/31/87 "WILL U?" BUSTED! EL- Herring bombs, rabbits, U NEVER CALL! CU- was it blue, really? Marlb. times! getting kicked "b —" "tape your —" skinnv swimming. MB! Do U know what time it is? JT. SK. EL. "TODAY"

disgusting come out!!!! UH-O!!! In ten years I plan to be living happily ever after with my TJ-Bati. I won't know what to do with all our ILLEGAL MONEY!! LUV U!!!!

Chris Murschel: Baseball; Receiving All-Conference Award in baseball as a junior. Also, being the team batting champion. These were two very important things to me in high school. I plan to be an aspiring CPA, having my own accounting business.

Jim Nafpliotis: Football 1, Band 1.2; Beating on Miguel, Mr. Bloom's dorky chemistry class= Max "Small" Shulman, picking the Kansas City Chiefs and Green Bay Packers to meet in the Super Bowl in 1989, Mr. Batts, Beating up Budha and Syed. Douvikas "my brother", Mort, North-you bum! Noda-Harley Davidson Rules! where's Erwin Chan??? I plan to become the next Jimmy "the Greek" on CBS or work in a restaurant like the rest of the dumb Greeks!

Parveen Najiullah: Yearbook 2,3,4; Editor 3,4; Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; German Club 3,4; Tutor's Club 4; Seminars for Scholars 4; NHS 4; Cabinet 4; Student Senate 1,2,3,4; PTSA rep. 4; JY- you old lady (JK)- I'm not counting! But WOW!! JL, LL, TL, HF, RO, LP, etc. etc., Junior Varsity is filled- my advice- keep your rabbit's tooth!! NA- watch out for that INTRUDER!! Where are you Jeannie- need a sleeping bag in the library. CG- relax 20-21. Think of HP and don't chemiram. Good luck you Denny Prodegy. Don't doctor you data!! LS- keep smiling! JO, Estelle- we did it! Congrats!!- couldn't have done it without you- thanks! Bears, Cubs '89 Champs ??? Miss you all!

Estelle Nikolakakis: Midnight Riders 3; Cabinet 1,2,4; Peer Counseling 2; Yearbook 1,2,3,4; Editor 3,4; Cindy- security guards, "attitude" talks, rides home, many smokes and Lysol! Thanks sis! Jill- Claim Company, little brother, peanut butter, "Love Bites", X-mas tree, "Should I call him?" Georgia- Homecoming '88 and beepers, #1 is FALTZ! Sofia- Ahepa nights, "the flamer" and "the hood" (who needs 'em anyway?) Elena- can openers, Woman's Workout, garlic bread and Lean Cuisines, Sweet Water. Ivy- truck and car. Carrie's animal, let it snow, 5 years of friendship. Stacy- lots of advice, Marines! Does your window open??? I'll miss you all! Angelo- a second chance, The Improv and afterwards at Cindy's. Turnabout, days off of school to go downtown, many great times, special memories. Luv Ya Always!!!

Richard Noda: Football 4; Spanish Club 4; Wrestling 2; Mods 10-13 Lunch Crew, OB, Huss, Maddox, Vinny, Jeff Max, Jana Gelbert (Sammy Zs), that ice is cold. Going up to UIC with my friend Sean A. Spending my Saturday morning with Mr. Erikson (whatever). I plan to run a very successful advertising firm, and take over Mr. Savage's job — that way no one would fail.

Bobby North: Football 1; Racquetball 1,2,3,4; Golf 4; BEing Chauffered in JR 65. Going out with BH. Foods was a blast, wasn't it CS? (L.O.T.F.A.S.Y.L.) CM- you're a dork. JR- thanks for everything. You're the best friend anyone could ask for. Good luck with SS. TD- you're a beach. Ten years from now I see myself owning a popular restaurant and married with 2 kids.

Sofie Noussias: Swimming 1; Wrestling 2; Volleyball 2; Orchestra 4; My adventure with Doris, lost somewhere in Wisconsin with no gas, and the Riv. Demitra- Bond 007 & 009, stakeouts!!! Radar glasses, "house man", Angie- G.O.U.R.D.S!! Peeling out in Ross's Z. 6 times. (J.K. Ross, only twice) G-string bathing suits, KAPUDIS!! Vahan- I leave you my taste in girls. Finally, to my Ross, Dec. 23, 1988! I can't even begin. Thank you for the best times of my life. We'll always be together. You are truly the best. I love you, I love you. I plan to be married to Ross, living next to Romeo & Angie, going to our bowling night every Sunday, sneaking out every night and taking Ross's Lamborghini for a spin, having a kid named Dane Vincent Luisi, and of course driving around in my AMG Hummer.

Mindy Nudelman: Midnight Riders 3,4; Ivy- ICE, Michigan, Bing, Northwestern. CB- Expressway, snowbanks, ice cream man. SL- SSM, nose. Perry- SK- Halloween, Gorsky, guy advise. HH- freshman freetime and conversation. JL- Homeroom, fishburger. CU- lovers b-friend. RC- Hi Jack cars. BS stories. DR- shopping. NP- blind date? Great memories with all friends.

Rich O'Brien: Football 3,4; Hockey 3,4; N-Club 4; Where do we eat today? (RN, MH, VR) Safari rides with Tex, wake up Panta, Brett em tae, ACT 12 Ha Ha Ha! Nick- you are small, Road trip from hell with Des and Jana, Homecoming Ha what a joke, but the bus was fun. Swirls in football, the best of times with CR, BY, BM, PS, TK, AL, HR, PM, JS. I plan to be living in Colorado skiing and having a good time while working as a forest ranger, or a biologist.

Matt Odirakallumka: Flip Club; Spanish Club; Christmas day- intense, but yet not too intense, the "duduf" affair- dork. Square head vs. the Psyhe Brothers, "brother love", kamacaze raids (31), voodoo, pooky, squarehead- "Goddess", house at prom? sneaking in the theatres to catch more than one movie at the plaza, then playing tag at Zayre, around 12:30. Economics- the wild, "Disgraceful" bunch, the little pizza boy, "Oh Yah!" Odirak- '89. I plan to be an accountant for the state or govt, working on my masters of law at night school, married, living in my own apartment building.

Melissa Ohlson: NHS 3,4; Leaders 2,3,4; Photo Club 1,3,4; Secretary 4; Ushers Club 1,2,3,4; French Club 4; Never Forget: Starting the day with homeroom conferences, Homecoming assembly, hand gestures. Donna. "do I really?", wild lunch discussions. Tina, Becki, talking bananas, ice and roller skating. Man my feet hurt!, orange popicles, Becka- "Do I haave toooo?" Tag Marc, Wie Geht's? "Our locker", bio lavs, Homecoming '88 and the best prime rib ever! In ten years I see myself as a Pharm.D., married, living in a big ol' blue frame house.

Carlene Olander: Basketball 1,2; Track 1; Softball 2,4; Midnight Riders 3,4; To my parents who helped me through my years and my breaks in Las Vegas, I love you both. To JL and JD want box!!! To CM- soph year knaak the smurfs. Also to LT & CM- doing all the work for the INDIAN. To MR & AS- fr. year in the parking lot with the animal: to Mr. Carr- thanks for your help, miss ya. To SP & GT- all our little talks. To my number one "DJ" I love you Isaac forever and ever!!!! I hope to see myself having my own day care center and having a good life with a family.

Eric Orsicc: Student Senate 3,4; vice present 3,4; Swim team 1,2,3,4; Tennis team 1,2,3,4; Spanish Clubs 3; president 3; SNH 3,4; Spanish Honor Society 3,4; Executive Coordinating Council 4; Newspaper Photographer 3,4; Yearbook Photographer 4; BB- 6 ft. inflatable Gummy RK- "good evening, Ted Speaking", mailboxes, big daddy. BL- lasting memories, the list, math? LW and EP- window washing at Devon and Sheridan. MCG- wisdom, Sticky rice, MLW Senate, MG- everlasting tan? CK- get a car!! TC, ND, & JM- Halloween '87, D & D. lard? JSM-S? New friends (3), dead crows, MA- Doors' tunes, ND and JM- sh — ing bricks in the cage with Jerry, the Baby, red Volkswagens, Mr. Hoepner masks anyone??

Eric Oseland: Get wise Rick, get CHURCH! (buda)-(buda)-(buda). They are offensive, waiter, they smell BAD!! Hey, I got a used Monte for 3000 bucks. Steve- lets jack the house! Nice F — g Shirt! Tyrone, Peabo and Maurice, say wha? Cadillac, watermelon, BK's Jesse for "President! When I woke up this morning, I heard a disturbing sound! We'll get the penguins money! I admit it, I'm a cathlophobe! WVDN, the voice of the n — o, 1160 West Adison and Bob's Country Bunker! In ten years I will either be vice-president of Pastorelli products or I'll be an attorney in a prestigious law firm. Or I'll be in jail because I got caught Insider Trading!

Kevin Oztekin: Soccer 1,2; Hockey 2,3,4; NHS; To AB, AB, AC, JB, MB, RD, SG, JM, ES, best friends that fought each other more than anyone, Rico's Bash '86, my bashes '87, Whitewater '87, summer '87, tequila contest New Years '88, Dubin's bashes, Downstate '88. Best times have yet to come. Hockey brawl with BG '89. Jim- Sophie!! At my Niles West ten year reunion, I'll be getting drunk with all my friends principal Dr. Puff, and Superintendent Ramseyer.

Valery Panoutsos: Hellenic Club 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1; Soccer 1; Halloween, D.H., N.L., costumes, Dominicks and Lime Light, D.H. you mophead. Acct. Gasers, Alchi, Druggie, LaHa! Susan T. the Canadians. GO Model, back seats, D.P.'s sweet sixteen, baking cakes, Marja- sleepovers and our great years of friendship. I see myself in ten years as a successful businesswoman and a high fashion designer, and hopefully married.

George Papadopoulos: Soccer 1,2,3,4; Working on Marc's stupid movie in Mr. Albani's class. Breaking 47 traffic violations with Marc and George in one lunch period. Doing aerobics in Mr. Geis's algebra class. Pulling people over on Touhy and Niles Center with Marc and Tony. Getting Tony a job at Oso. I plan to be a rich airline pilot, flying 747's. I will own several fast cars, and have horses all over the world.

Lynn Pappas: Wrestling 1; Cross Country 3; Hellenic Club 1,2,3,4; L.S. — "Take cover!" Score-four bead w/ meel, unseparable in gym. Izmo- snowman (JR + AM), my goon Mona. Cari-video + purse " Pozdol. Taco L- babysitting? Dec. 23rd, what a night! Ritters- Holiday, Laramie, R.R., Bill + Raymonds cabinets, Taco S- Goya dance with Kenny, Alex and Hector, George's advice "never " Patty- thanks for listening. Maria M- Western! Val and Denise- Deni's Den. Karla B- bush across street before Bio, lunch everyday w/ Kelli + gang, finally teaching you to ——. I will be far, far away from SKOKIE, happily married with five children in a large house and a red corvette.

E.J. Paprocki: Gymnastics 1; Peer Counseling 2; Day spent with Laila, Jeremy, and Janine at Kim Klutznick's Bat Mitzvah in the ballroom at the Ritz-Carlton with many roses and gold leaves where everything was absolutely perfect. Mark saved the day by rescuing the balloon. In ten years I see myself living in a suite overlooking Central Park at the plaza with a beautiful girl, working as the managing director of the Townhouse.

Rick Pastorelli: Swimming; The most special experience I had was returning to Skokie, after leaving in sixth grade. Seeing most of my old friends and being amazed how they have grown up. I plan on settling down with a gorgeous brunette, becoming a very productive business person, and helping my dad with family business.

Derek Pedraza: Gymnastics; Freshman lunch, thanks Chris for all the money. Pizza after meets, piling people into cars, going downtown, thanks Kendra for a night I'll never forget, U.O.M.E \$22.50. Having an absolute time with Tim and Brian while Jen teaches me how to let things blow over. Sunday- you owe me one. I plan to be lying out in the back yard of my mansion next to the pool, letting things blow over.

Nancy Penn: Tennis 1,2,3,4; Student Union 1,2,3,4; President 4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; SADD 1,2,3,4; ECC 4; Ivy- shopping, library talks: Goldfish- Sid and 'Dawnie- "Shne! Shaka!" Hard times, great memories! Heather- homeroom talks! Rachel P- summer memories: Hi Connell! Danielle C- Summer '88, so many men! YOUNSTRA! Danny and Jeff- "BANGS!" "BONGS" Diana's, HUGS! Mindy- BEST FRIENDS I LOVE YOU! Dan- 12/9/88, Florida '89, I LOVE YOU! Everyone else, LOVE AND MEMORIES!!! In ten years I plan to have a degree in shopping (J.K.) and be married to and in LOVE with "DAN THE MAN!"

James Peroulas: Math Team 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1; NHS 3,4; Spanish NHS 3,4; Assuming the position in Physics class, putting mustard on my CD's to improve sound quality, reversing the coaxial cable on my TV to improve reception of the Mechanical Universe. My Mercury Escort, the chip burger, discovering that intergration of Esta Bien by pieces parts gives Muy Bien. 2-Kinezo + C. I plan to make hot dogs in a Greek fast food restaurant named "Gyros Palace" located on Devon Avenue. KALLH PATRIDA!

Marny Pierini: Swimming 1,2,3,4; Captain 3; Softball 2; Guard Club 1,2,3; Timers Club 1,2,3; Midnight Riders 3; Leaders 1,2,4; Cabinet 3; Student Union 3; My most memorable experiences are: girls/boys swim meets, good times and memories with '86 '87 '88 graduates. Mia- pool benches, Homecoming '86, Florida '88, 'the pool Post This, Uncle Bunke and Friends. Many shared experiences, friends forever- lova ya! Shay- unforgettable times soph year (we'll never forget), good songs, drives, just bumming, long lasting friendship: "kido-". SC- our parents, AL/SS- homeroom talks. Thanks for the memories and good luck to all my friends.

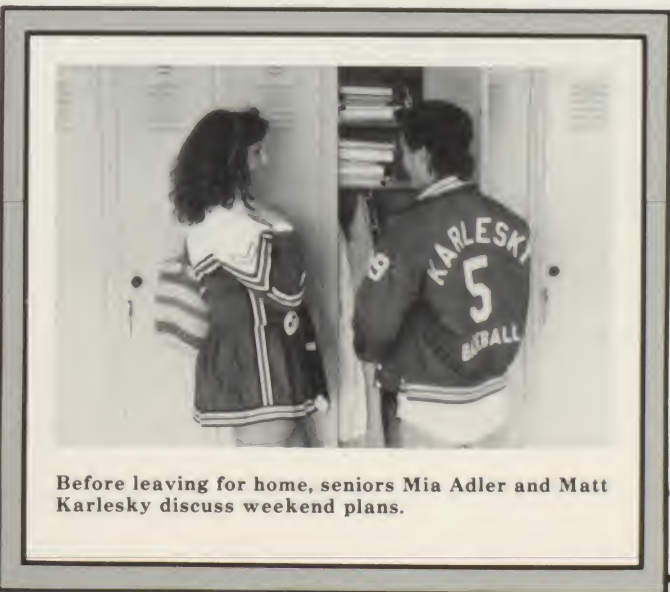
Bob Pine: Wrestling 1,2,3,4; SADD 4; N-Club 4; Soccer 1; Q's Sunday mornings at Dangers, pizza downstate, Homecoming bash bust, park ordiance, possession of alc, amking and testing bombs with Hiljac and Urshiac, saving fish's life from his own dinner, knowing and loving koppel, schaps, Styx, pin-head, DA Weinberg, curly ears, Apostolop, Joey Bellina, Stephanie's "special love" and of course Stephanie's "constant whining." Ten years from now I perceive myself saturating in an immense reservoir of \$\$\$ HARD CASH \$\$\$

Deedee Pitsios: Soccer 4; AG- (otherwise AKK) good times driving, that awful date, keyboarding never again, where's Chuckie?? Shopping everywhere. Can I copy? The gang at the movies and many more. TR- Great America, Oh no! Not again/ stop! Dancing w/ that guy. DW- Mr. K yelling at the movies. Good luck to all my friends and to the Class of '89!

Gail Pitts: Basketball manager; Cross Country manager; Lunch with Becka, Dixon with Debbie and Becka. Amy- bloody thing has wings, downtown with Carol and Stacy. C- AS bathroom at Burger King, quarters for bed, Heather- long conversations at lunch, thanks! Thanks for all the help, BJ. Summer at park in Evanston, the great times with Carol, Debbie. I plan to be happily married with one child. I will be a teacher, working at a grade school.

Marija Popovic: Band 1,2,3,4; Swimming 1,2; SADD 3; Midnight Riders 4; VDP- lasting friendship. YK- coolers, friendship. J.K.- Hawan, "Albert", Nympho- long talks, oja spirits. PT- Arizona. Vanshungerburger. AB- Raunchy conversations. BS- twins, dork. NEW ORLEANS. HURRICANES, salty, car rides. RAW, beach, Great America, "OJ", Jacks, BeniHAHA, Joy givers, Wonder twin, jello snorters. PA- NY eve, bets, obscene tongue gestures. GOOD TIMES! In ten years I plan to be very successful and rent RAW and REVENGE OF THE BABES for our reunion.

Rachel Posner: Pom Pon 2,3,4; Orchestra 2,3; treasurer 4; French Club 2,3; secretary 4; Peer Counseling 1,2,3; leader 4; AFS 2,3; president, Gymnastics 1; Expressions 1,2; Walt Disney 1; Stop the World 2; Grease 4; SADD 2,3; vice president. Pommers, I love you guys! Thanks for everything- higgias, JA, Arizona. Red/White, swat, ouija, Champaign, courthouse, Prom '88. Min- the world is my toilet, airport, Katy Hair, Nanc- late nights. Alge- running baces, Mel-cudoor toilets, prankers. Amy- best sis ever. Richard- HC'88, gayness, ChuChu, LR Dancing, nice trip, MugaMuga, REMEMBER??? I see



Before leaving for home, seniors Mia Adler and Matt Karlesky discuss weekend plans.

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myself as a restaurant and home movie critic with my husband, the cutest baby I know! I love you Richard.

Debbie Pozdol: Cross Country 1,2,3,4; captain; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; GP- Dixon '87, Ice water in bed, "God, it's hot in here!" B.F. FOREVER!!! Thanks for all the advice, time, and patience! Remember, "I gotta go T-T!! BS. "If we don't wake Gail, #." "Hmmm Baby." Eric Clapton, Meslanka, "Coolers" and the missing toilet paper!! TK- all those parties!!! Thanks for everything!! CA- "Pee Wee Herman!!!" GF- Western Illinois!! 99% FF!!! Lisa M- I'm going to miss you mouse!!

Alison Presley: Girls Swimming 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Some of my most memorable experiences are going with orchestra to Boston and New Orleans, joking around with my friends, playing in concerts, going to Prom, swimming annual Halloween relays and getting ready for graduation. In ten years, I hope to be a successful elementary teacher, married, two children, fairly rich and driving a Rolls.

Nicole Price: Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Midnight Riders 4; West Word 3,4; Editorial Director 4; Senate 3,4; Swimming 2,3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Yearbook 4; Orchestra 1; Amnesty 4; Israeli Club 2,3,4; president 4; Spanish Club 1,3,4; secretary; J.M- Jump start on South Side, your "tropical" room, spinners on that Friday night, California '87, first formal. BS- Madison. MP- I am not a liar! Adances, mixes DJ's, CB and DW- Halloween '86, RN and MA- a transvestite and an empty dance. EB- hot chocolate every weekend. JK- can we leave early? Ed's. I have no idea what I'll be doing in ten years. As Abraham Joshua Heschel said, "The course of life is unpredictable, ... no one can write his autobiography in advance." Bye everyone!

Anthony Pusateri: Hockey 4; SADD 4; Baseball 4; Econ. field trip with AL and JD, Christmas carolling at 4:30 am; Bud & Kodiak, the two greatest things on earth next to AS. N.W. vs. Buffalo Grove brawl, \$60 for a bottle of JD in Troy, Mich. Saucing sixsome and the endless nights. Express 4, Naperville 3! I plan to own all the Taco Bells in the world or I'll be working in my Bait and Liquor store in Canada with the French, Canadian Polock, or the Hungarian cowboy.

Susan Quach: Spanish Club 1,2,3,4; Tutor's Club 1,2,3,4; Math Team 1,2,3,4; NHS 3,4; Spanish NHS 3,4; All the times with OBOMark, OBNGoi, BOME, Khoi, CManh, BHao, BQuyen, CChithanh, CHien, CNghi, Albert, DTamthien, CThao12, CSon, An, Dunchan, CBe, CHung12, Binhbao, Ctrung12, CHuong, CThang, Andrew, CNhuidue, Marsha, Claudia, Eddie, John, Maria, Tring Tin, Chicago, Florida, Epcot Magic, California, Minnesota, Canada, Australia. My love to Mom, Dad, and everyone.

Tim Queen: Basketball 2; Baseball 2; Football 2,3,4; Expressions 4; Concert Choir 2,3; Theater 4; Yearbook 4; Getting the lead part as Danny Zuko in "Grease". In ten years I will be married to Wendy Doyle. We will have two children. I will be working for the F.B.I. or a private detective.

Ansa Qureshi: Orchestra 1; Soccer 1; Math Team 1,2,3,4; French Club 1,2,3,4; German Club 1,2,3,4; Medical Careers Club 1,2,3,4; West of Edens 2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; NHS 4; Sharon- "Fishie + --- ie!" Why are you laughing? Hyena!! Let's go to North! Bible Study, Skokie Library, surviving physics, driving around. "By the way, you were supposed to turn." "Are we lost yet?" Let's start walking and maybe we'll find the McDonald's. Sanders. Math meets. What do you say to a two headed dragon? Always laughing. Remember RC BY, YC, JT, FF. ? Best friends forever! Thanks for four great years! In ten years I'll either be traveling around the world with my 3 best friends, or else living together in a beautiful mansion.

Calvin Ramseyer: Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Leaders Gym 2,3,4; N-Club 4; Theater 4; The magnet, forest times, riding the bull, B.B.B. forever, horse bridge, July 4, celebrity garbage night, shark attacks, Boston, Clapton, M.O.R. concerts, mailbox baseball, Football, A.L.'s aspirin and the dbl. scotch, the Phillistines and cheese sandwiches. BM- first time by BY's garage, plungers, chainsaws. MT- my tapes are your tapes. MG- thanx for talking. MA- Camaro's '69, Z28? Carcasshead, go in the right way (K.L.), Ra ha, RC- Rocket Queen, woodood, LS- dreams, songs. PS- head chutes, Safari rides, sheep, barnyard animals. JS- pool hopping, midnight dances. BY's punctuality, weird hand, metal, boombrodsky's, Rock & Roll. All the good times and more to come. Thanks everyone.

Cindy Ratnow: Student Union 1,2,3; Cabinet 1,2,3; Yearbook 3,4; Peer Counseling 2; Midnight Riders 3; My most special experiences include: CG- California, N.Y.E. '88, Mike, and understanding guy, Aliens. MB- Schwarna and Sarche. SK- What hasn't been memorable?? BFFF! SL- Imna and Swana. MN- Northern hickies, memories. RS- kneecaps, laughter. LA- advice, a warm smile. MG- Thanks-giving bowling. BS- some day. GREAT FRIENDS- GREAT TIMES- NEVER SAY GOOD-BYE. I plan to be blissfully happy, living in California. Going to "Splash" every weekend with C.G., hoping to meet a guy who understands like Mike and other locals.

Maria Raudeci: Spanish Club, Italian Club, Spanish Honors Society, Israeli Club, Chorus; Evenings at McDonald's and driving around. Doris- I love Ricky!, watching the Terminator, Kristy with Kyle and Megan with Lucas. Donica- Deutsch macht spass! Shoma- funny farm, Susan- Spanish, free-time and Ricardo! Naomi- missing economics? Dee Dee- I love languages! Peter- movies and computer. Adios, Au revoir, Shalom, Tschuss, Bye! I would like to learn to teach Spanish, Japanese, Arabic, Chinese, and Italian. I will also travel around the world.

Susan Reitman: Peer Counseling 2; SADD 3; Symnastics 1; Basketball 2; Fitness Award 2; Midnight Riders 3,4; Rachel- Giving tree, trauma, psycho, Jumpstreet, B.F.F. SL, JH, JL, JD- Keep feet clean, always in trouble, good feed, Eric- 2 year relationship, now close friends, closer than parties will ever know, scamming. Beast lives, Sybaris, close calls, Lippy!! We're even! I'LL MISS YA! Kevin- chinese food, late night calls, love ya! ROYAL 6, ROYAL BUST! Wooders- I love ya! In ten years I plan to be living the good life partying with my friends, not a care in the world! Take care and Adios!

Julie Remke: Cosmetology 3; Anne, pupster, schnarf- charging at Lord & Taylor, debts, crazy bread, Mark, Evan, & Tom- Ducks, Jimmy Page, Visiting Tom's brother at nursing home! KORRUPTION Rules. Gary- welcome to the jungle, thanks for listening! Beata (twin) & Beth- baked beans, Lou Club, Denny good luck! GOLF RULES (ugh!) In ten years I see myself still working at Meyers, partying, and listening to Metallica.

Miguel Remon: Marching Band 1; Concert Band 1; Duros, GN- "Oh my God, officer!", Jamming with SM, GN, BD, and JV, Flowers Park, "Assume the position," Bart with the sock, Brush with death from SJ, Whistler exploding in car, burning a bench, parties, joking with AL, Rush '86 and '88, screaming at the Keith Richards concert, More parties! In ten years I'll be a successful entertainment lawyer with a gorgeous blond in one hand and a Colt 45 in the other.

Beatrice Revelins: Basketball 1; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Soccer 1,2,3,4; All-conference goalie 3; White Honor Roll 1,4; German Club 1,2,3,4; vice president 4; AFS 3; Scholar-Athlete Award 4; Filipino Club 3; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; Soccer '85 coach Hart- WOW! Soccer vs. Softball= SOCCER! Volleyball '89 war; with 12 survivors. JB- fun in German? DW- Self conscious??? EK, GH- trolley ride to no man's land, New Orleans. GH- a never ending friendship!! The remaining memories I take with. Where? Who knows. In 1999 I will be enjoying the good life in Colorado while pusing my career as a well known genetic engineer.

Matt Reznik: NHS 4; president 4; Academic Bowl 3,4; Math Team 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 3,4; Spanish Honor Society 3,4; Israeli Club 4; Seminars for Scholars 4; "Beating up" the cafeteria lady, O'Reilly Heaven (2 years), the Drobny Film Festival. ST, JC- we are fascists! ST- triangle electric, Ben, stats, nail him! the real "a" hole, EP and Lar- lunch, Osco, Mort stories, ditching school? Evil, BB- nice steering, gyros at Abe's, TV theme songs, Jay- complete and utter nonsense, thanks for kicking my butt when I got out of line. Slutz- Roy, Donnybrook, be assertive, focus, Boombah hey, you're a great guy, no matter what anyone says. Amy- thanks for being a friend.

Jennifer Rhee: AFS 1; German Club 1; Korean Club 1,2; Bible Study 3,4; Table Tennis 3; Accounting- Gasers, Alkie, drugs (ha-ha)! cheating, powdered sugar. Giggles- G.L.O.W. fights, Drakkar, JP (Dingy), JC- "secret admirer", Cheech & Chong, Ichiban, "Stuck on You", singing "You Got A Friend", princess, C.C., turnabout, ring leader. Jellybean- when you & I were close, really close, with God. I see myself as a successful businesswoman of the 90's. I will be married to the man of my dreams. I will continue to be a matchmaker for my dear friends.

Brian Richards: Baseball 1; Swimming 1,2; Drumline 2,3,4; Symphonic Band 3,4; Working at ETC, New Orleans tour GW+LF, Spring Break Ft. Lauderdale, New Year with Rusty, Giger's sister's apartment, Holloween junior year, Fiesta Bowl, caught out of room (MG, LS) Peppermint Patty, Great American with JR, ES, MD, and Alison, I love Alison. T.Q. Cardinal Puff, Good luck Jeff. I plan to be living in Florida, being on the F.B.I., and having lots of parties with my wife Alison, Scott and Marni.

Genevieve Rio: Senate 4; Cabinet 4; Union 4; Roach- tinkle tinkle little fink- who the hell you are I think. I'm not under the alcafluence of incohol like some think! peep I am! Let's go steal a Christmas tree! Merry Christmas Rob. Is it still a big mistake? That stupid pillow! Danielle- La Bamba, the six pack, you brush your teeth- down by the lake. Andy- we have all beers. Laura- alcohol, shut up and dance. Rob- Hi, I'm like Hi. NM - BFF

Jemuel Ripley: Baseball 1,2,3,4; Hockey 4; Golf 3,4; Football 1; Wrestling 3; N-Club 4; West of Edens; Schempe Ave., the forest, bouncer, gum on the forehead, Svetloina, scarfage, Flynn, chases, D-up, snowmen, garbage night, up on it! Pool Hopping, Foremost, pool party, power screams. Ber-T, Carcass Head, Yootie, Ramrod, Humbortion. BG brawl, Klany, Anderboro, Fletch, smoke bombs. JS STANG. Stacey- I love you. I plan on having a good paying job, driving my "stilt" rust free car, and with any luck, married to Gumby S.

Tammy Robertson: Chorus 1; Concert Orchestra 1,2,3,4; IHSA 2,3,4; Spilling Janine's green "meat-ball-Steeple" on the floor, chasing after "a certain hunk" for four years, being part of the "Ster" organization for a minimal amount of time, moments spent with Augustin, driving 70 miles per hour in reverse down a pitchblack dead end cemetery street, arriving home at 2 A.M. I plan to be married to a special guy, occupation: interior designer.

Henry Rodriguez: Football; Baseball; SADD; PM- Downstate, Ralph, Pedro. BM- Kodiak, gums. BY- #59. PS- Spanking paddle, pitchers, Juddy's Jessica, Carry- dancing bears quarters, box of rain. SL- Freshman English, parties, Zeppelin, bike pants. SR- Lawyers. Lana- "bingers", IKO IKO, clutches. Jed- Scamms. JC- Beer mugs, middle man. To all "THIS BUDS FOR YOU!" I plan to move to Miami, be a drug traffic controller to purify the world from drugs, win the lottery, retire, and own 32 bars.

Amy Roma: Pow Wow Crew 1,2,3,4; Musical Crew 1,2,4; Spring Play Crew 1,4; Children's Theater Crew 1,3; Choir 1,2,3,4; Muncie 1,2,3,4; Working crew- Homecoming '87 with Jeff- Homecoming '88 with Steve- "Hold on to the Nights". PH, TZ, KS, WS- The Beach- Prom with E.J., the park, Diary Queen, my best friends Pam and Laila, "Oh Baby" Mish. Spending time with my friends, MS, MC, JB, JS, DT, LH, MM, PH, DK, LS. I have no idea what I will be doing ten years from now, but I hope wherever I am, I'll be happy and remembering my high school years.

Louis Roth: Track 1; I plan to work on cars at a Good Year.

Dawn Rugendorf: AFS 2; Student Government 2,3,4; SADD 2,3,4; NP- Shne's chaka, BFF, so many memories. MG- ginger, 360's, special times, MG- Urine testing, DC- Wax melting, SA- Everlasting friendship. You guys are the greatest, best friendships always! HH- long talks. Howie- 11/3/87 forever (Borg Park). Jeff's, wrestling, naps, 16th b-day, downstate, B.F.F., grey car, No. 1 rose, a Fricanwoogiebear, kisses, wonderful memories, I will Never forget. May we always be together in our hearts. I will be your brown-eyed girl FOREVER. I LOVE YOU, Dawnie.

Colleen Ryan: Gymnastics 4; Peer Counseling 3; New Years Eve '88, '89, Phonefest, Hick, Chick, Twat, Shlongs, the Original "6som" (CR, JK, AS, TP, MB, AC). The Bowl (RS, DW, KR, JJ) AM- the BEST 2 years. Mich- Jerry's office, RI- Holiday Inn, Express games, sex talks. Jim- Prom '88, come sail away, I love you always. In ten years I plan to be married to JK and MB will live in our basement with their 12 illegitimate kids.

Mala Sabapaty: Ushers Club 1; Spanish Club; AFS; Student Government 4; West of Edens 4; Bronze Key; EB and the ice cream incident, MT's remembrances, sec H.C. rendezvous MA's remember on the bus? SC, JD adventure, AK's pig dilemma, Harry armpit incident in S. School remember MA? Gas station bump, down with the 20 of us & MA, MS and her studying, Geis and his invention, MA we've gone through 2 royal weddings. FT- tardies to homeroom, Drivers Ed on the range, what a blast. SC- hope you driving improved. Shocked with MR reports. MA (What's ya get?) get it. I'll never forget. BJ- forgetfulness!! \$10 by N.W. High School. I plan to be a rich millionaire running at least 5 of the BIG money making companies. With a house situated in California.

Michelle Sakolsky: Color Guard 3,4; Theater Crew 4; Marching Band 3,4; Choir 4; Homecoming, parties, New Year '89, and friends, taking care of IV, New Years, JS and all the good times, ID- the best friend a person could have. Thanks for always being there. Tam- laughing it up. AM- OH BABY! Jim's PT's, TW- Bill and guys, Fr. DI- fun while lasted. I plan on living in Long Grove with my husband and at least one child, working with troubled children and middle of making a record.

Beata Saletnik: German Exchange 3; German Club 2,3,4; Swimming 1; Peer Counseling; SADD 3; NHS 4; HP- Whipcream, dorks, Matilda bed, relative, quan"tity. BR- downtown, sailors, candy-red Porsche, PA's JR- "Beautiful Ones", fake birthdays, chandlers, Lou, Babe! YW- Sam, Babs, road map. Crisis number! Miller truck. JK- Shotgun! NP- fraternities, Madison, Confetti's. MW- 9:00 Breakfast, Sylvester, Germany, Lumpersammier. EA- Driving, andtaloupe, hey putz! more good times.

Linda Sax: Volleyball 1,2; Basketball manager 1; Softball JV 1,2; Varsity 3,4; Color Guard 1; Symphonic Band 1,2,3,4; Wrestlettes 1; NYE '85, b-day '86 (no more parties), prom '86-Scruffy, NYE '86 (Rustle), tour '87 New Orleans, prom '87- Eric, SF- PJ's, 8 of us! BR; Brad- the beach! 7-11, "Tinkly" TK- BBG, CJV- PAC's love, Phoenix (Tour '88/alone), Florida? SZ- dress, SK- B.F.I.L.L.Y.! Kathy- Dite o'tom: W.L.G.A.H.A.A.D.F.I.! Thanx. In ten years- still in MG 'cuz they wouldn't give me my driver's licence again. (I hit another parked car).

Lisa Schapira: Cheerleading 1,2,3,4; captain 4; Soccer 1,2,3,4; Track 2; SADD 1,2,3; French Club 1;

Cabinet 4; Union 4; Midnight Riders 4; Fiesta Bowl 3; White Honor Key 1; As Frosh loving seniors Bud & Andy. Soccer, Cari & Rock could outside, Gremlins, Gym with Lynn, summers with Danielle, singing otwh, talk with Megan, Arizona wipeout, secrets with Merav, Dreams- Calvin Friendship, cheerleading camp (brasovershirt), LipSync, Benfest, RELATIONSHIPS- Anthony, Jacks Punk Pigtales, "It's just a little french frie", Pushy monah, "WOOT!", best times jamming with Maria and Lynda- BF. I plan to be married, rich, and teaching in Hawaii. Also- dancing on the bed with Lynda with the shades open 4 ALL 2 C and walking with a cane.

Paul Schramm: Football 1,2,3,4; captain; Track 2,3,4; captain; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1; N-Club 4; Jim, Pat, Dubini, riding bikes to senior parties, Pat/Clothesline. Parties at Merkel's, Lochner's, Dubin's. Tex and his headbutting spere's. Homecoming '88, Heather, bus. Football '88, Forest parties, pool hopping, running from cops w/shoes or w/o. Foremost, the Forest Gang. DB's— Cal, Bert, Brett, John, Andy, Klany, Henry, Winston, Jim, Pat, Safari Ride! All times with Heather, the sparrow, N. Riggings w/ Hank. Shark Attack! In ten years I will be trying to remember all good times I couldn't fit in the survey. Plan on being hitman/parttime toll booth operator, still partying with the gang in the forest. PF. NSD.

Kathy Schroeder: Volleyball 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Color Guard 1,2; captain 3,4; Midnight Riders 4; Tours, Proms, Homecoming, Benih-ha, my parties, eight of us, behind my house, piddles, I want you s-z, Algonquin? I never, Georgia Nut, Butonfly, Jackets ... New years, all-nighters, Limos, B.O.F., #11, KC, BLW, Predictions, "Raw"-Skeletons, Greek style, B.F. with Linda, promises, two years with Sergio, thanks for everything, love ya all, Vamos a la playa! I will own Tiny Tot, Tami managing, Sue doing advertising, Linda bringing pets, Scott's our lawyer, Brian's our F.B.I. agent, and I'm \$20 in debt.

Eric Schulman: Varsity Tennis 1,4; Rico's bash, BB's at Ozzy's. My big slip. Pool parties. SPI. Ted Williams. Nintendo/fest. Homecoming '86, '87, '88. Do everything to me. Gripean's alarm. Holy (bleep) we're on empty. Foremost. Mother jokes. 360's. Home run derby. Living w/ Grip. Get out of the car! Sophie. I will be married to Mindy, my first love, and will be head custodian at Niles West.

Rose Schwager: Student Union 1,2; BL- double dates, frozen cookies, morning talks in gym. DW- Homeromr talks about DM. SK- H.C.'88, lots of secrets, weekend dinners, "What do you guys want to do?" Friends forever (in the Chicago area). CR- H.C.'88, weekends, triple dates, a great friendship. SS- Prom '89, the fun is just beginning. Ten years from now I plan to be co-owner and manager of The Baja Beach Club.

Gayle Schwartz: SADD 1,2,3,4; Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Leaders 3,4; Student Union 1,2,3; Midnight Riders 3,4; MP- SH w/ Eric listening, EO- putting up w/ Marny and me. Cathy and me, MG- Maddie w/ Jeff, Mike, using my bathroom, "I really gotta go", Gay, Gayles, RM0 massages, shrimp-auditorium lobby seats, avoiding the cafe, lobster (had to mention him) TS- handwarming, V-8, Seka- bathroom, free, locker w/ B. CK- the pimple, Northwestern, kidnapping w/ Tom. JM- downtown, mustard, forest green, AGIC, north, south, east, west, and center, get well card.

Stella Sfikas: Best times, Lissy, Linda, Flacka pan American Fest '88! Yeah Boy! Lissy, my cousin Fullerton Beach, Is that Michey? Also Lissy remember my dad, you, me, Tommy? Oh my God. Dyan, Alex, Paul. The first hotel party. Before party, Ice T, 6 in the morning. (Rap) Love ya all!!! Ten years from now I see myself married to Paul, having two kids, also having my own travel agency.

Scott Shapiro: Tennis 1,2; Wrestling 2,3,4; Hilljack, your car's a piece, Aztec, test drive- the brawls, Piner Binkter downstate, wrestling, you wanna go? --Greco? Strat- up yours --! Pusshead- anchors away! Teddy- you veg. Bilj- Michiana, Highland Park. Koppel- Have a drink. DA- rod knocks, the stang in disguise. UR- phone talks. Thanx for the team play guys. In ten years I'll be skiing in Colorado.

Becka Shipp: Softball 3,4; Basketball 3,4; FAME; NHS 3,4; DIXON!!! Hey Deb- "Move one inch closer and I'll hit you so hard, ... " Gail- do you want a dry bed? Shut up Julie! (AT, EC, LB, TM, RR) Donna, what can we do to really annoy Barry? Melissa- Oh God, not Susan! "I thought you gave up pretzels, Heather." Thanks all! I plan to be extremely rich and not give a damn about it.

Anjum Siddiqui: Debate; Medical Careers Club; Amnesty International; French Club; Tutors Club; ha, ha, ha, ha, ha, SH, AQ, Koo, Lacroix, Dior, and Chanel. you know how it is. Claudia- stop laughing! Princess Sofia, Ghazola Ghazali, Rum bum the scum, Zuuuuby! Sheriff, heart of darkness and black Monday, acting silly with NL, whatever, intellectual conversations, army fatigue, I finally got the d.i.! I see myself as a staid, old doctor checking out just as staid and old patients. "Next please!"

Danielle Singer: Cheerleading 1,2; Pom Pon 4; Cabinet 1,2,3; Student Union 1,2,3; Senate 1,2,3; Peer Counseling 2,4; Yearbook Staff 3; Homecoming Court 4; Melissa and Lana- Eddie Rockets, oop! D-D-D-D-D-Down- state! Great nights at Ed's. Lunches w/ the girls, Staci- my drinking buddy. Nights at Miller's. Sex talks. Daytona! Friends Forever!!! Bennigan's w/ Ratnow. Boyfriend talks w/ Shapira. El- Homecoming '86, Prom '87, football games, kisses, nose snatches, cheeks, Jamaica, the Dells, Iowa, or Wisc- I'll love you forever! I hope to earn a law degree, live a great life, and make a difference in the world, somehow!

Rea Song: Korean Club 1,2; Track (Cross Country) 1; NHS 3,4; AFS 1,2; Senate 1; Amsy poo- kiss my what? It was a blast! All those men we never had, tears, laughter, FART ALERT!, cruising in the yellow machine, grooving to the beat, living to do His will. Can't wait till Bubbles. Gay May-munchies, good-bye Amos, new loves, U R God's gift to me, Ji- Too tall QT, Saturday detention, we can conquer all trials through him, even the ones at home. Love you all with all my heart. I'll never forget U. XXOOXX To all CK Chums, you live in my heart, thanks, Luv U, bye. I plan to be real happy.

Chris Sosnowski: Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Track 1; Soccer 1,2,3,4; AFS; Complimentary breakfasts (AA, KB, CM), lost and found dictionaries(KM), Grandpa, what are ya doing? (JW), LDASYL (BN), Ankles, Torpedo-Z, Chris loves Eric forever! CS + KM #1 friends. Wet pants (MR), off sides (KM), Kim, I love reverse! Kim, thanks for ALL the times, they're not over! In ten years I see myself married, children in thought, a sexy blond husband to tend to my needs!

Mike Spiropoulos: Drumline 1,2,3,4; Stop the World Band 2; Godsepl 2; Bye Bye Birdie 3; Little Shop 3; Fame 4; Grease 4; Jazz Band 2,3,4; Buying my Buick, playing my Sonor. Coffee mug at H.C. Sleeping at Homecoming, not making the Battle two years in a row. Jerry, Mike, Greg, Dude, BALLS, Arizona, New Orleans, Florida? Boro Pres. My only goal is to be the first drum set player for the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. I'll catch you all hangin' backstage after my opening night at the Madison Square Garden.

Leanne Statland: Orchestra 2,3,4; West of Edens 2,3,4; Literary Editor 4; Senate 1,2,3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; treasurer 4; Cabinet 1,2; Tutors Club 3,4; NHS 4; Spanish NHS 4; The bush jumpers society. Hey person- brrrring, braup, and all the laughter and friendship. Quality person- all our great monthly talks. May you realize every moment. Suzanne- Oof! Hassaa! Janey- it isn't cocky. Zuchinni- from the strawberry jelly to the swift kick that started my eighteenth birthday, you've been the best! I'll miss you all so much!!! In ten years, I'll probably be a starving artist on a stree corner in New York playing my viola for donations.

Kevin Steele: Soccer 1; AFS 1; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Theater 1,2,3,4; Orchestis 4; IMEA District and state 4; Thespian 2,3,4; Steering Committee 4; Jack's clock light and lava lamps, Lake Geneva, exploding credit cards, red snow, cemeteries, Homecoming float and dates, Trivial Pursuit- shots, Chinese firedrills, bowling, underwire bra pulling, spit on the window, Texas, Spoon River (bus), Fame (M.H.), Love and Friendship, Freedom Rock, red block, Ringling brothers, eight years until marriage!! I want to say that I love you all, forever. "I've had the time of my life ... " Forever KMS -- Peace.

Anthony Stegich: Football 1; Swimming/Diving 1; Golf 2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Raquetball 4; N-Club 4; SADD 4; LAUREN WAGNER: 1/23/88, 11/16/88, 12/25/88, Homecoming, Turnabout, winter break '88, laughing, spaghetti strainer, 1st Best Friends, feo y grande! You're the inspiration, thanks for everything, I LOVE YOU!!! Everyone- TCH, New years 88-89, Bunny ears, golf buddies, Biology, hand warming, IIB, Summer school rides, Zelda, ugh, Ishmell! I plan on living in Arizona with Lauren, NO

kids, a convertible BMW, an in ground swimming pool, and owner of a large bank.

Sandy Stergios: Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2; Midnight Riders 4; Most memorable "experiences": Bio- NADS! Sue Lee- why don't you just f--- off! Bashar- keep smiling, PS- do shrooms! Michelle C- best friends almost 15 years! Jason McGuire- one night stand? NO!, let's get some brew-ha-ha! Henry! party, Toyota, best thing that ever happened to me- I LOVE YOU! Ten years from now I'll probably be Mrs. McGuire and loving it!

Nick Stratigakes: Golf Team 1,2,3,4; N-Club 4; Yearbook 3,4; Gymnastics 1,2; Kopell powerheave at D.A.S. house with D.T. D.A. nuts. Someone sport in wood team play of the year. Ted you veg ALT braindead Pine Celica holds out. The r's killing snowman. HillJack the legendary Doba. Scotty you're a hog Bob Scott now that ain't H.K. all the guys OOOH! I blew it! up your regin. Late night B.P.'s. In ten years I hope to become a legend like my mentor John W. Holmes and star in numerous pornos.

Nicole Strusiner: Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Midnight Riders 3,4; My most memorable experiences: Downstate '88, Fuzzy Foreigner- NO MORE ICE! Spring break '89, Florida '88 and '89, Homecoming '88", SL- Duck. JD- I'm so d ---! KB- Brian '69", Obbie- Dubbie --- Embassy Suites-surprise party. JD- Tate Schwab. SL- stairmaster. CM- Rob L. To Ed- all my love in the world-

Senior Sally Ko gives a ride home to junior Sofia Psychogios. Upperclassmen enjoy the privileges that come with owning a car.



FUTURE I see myself in ten years as a psychologist with my own practice, and coming to visit Niles West High School everyday; married to Ed. I love you, Ed.

Rosalie Stulman: "Good times, bad times", best friendship w/ Jeannie: I love you! Downtown: "Welcome to the jungle!" Shooting pool at the bowl, Def Leppard concert, Aerosmith concert, autos: grease monkeys! New Years '88 and '89: "Nothing but a good time!" Dyan, Kim, Jeannie, Colleen, Amber, Michelle, Rita, and all the guys: "Never say good-bye." Johnny: I still love you. Ten years from now: more good times to come while I'm singing in a rock band and married to one of the band members!

Jason Szewczyk: Volleyball 3; Chess Team 3,4; Senate 2,4; Academic Bowl 4; Actually surviving Mike Y.'s driving, seeing Shekie, the head banger, at the Def Leppard concert, winning the N-Club tournament with Troy, Sid., Jae-Woo, Mike, and Joo-Yup, talking with Anne in the morning when I was semi-domotose, trying to avoid the police at the Taste of Chicago with Yuri. Ten years from now I plan on succeeding in a career and making money.

Scott Theisen: Baseball 1; Golf 1; Spanish Club 1,2; Friday nights at Oakton with Danny K. and Vlad, playing cards with Matt, Tony, and Andy- time of my life. Malkin- what a view in Bio! Ron K.- Let's thrash! Tony- Good luck at KSU. Matt- Good luck at Western. Andy- Good luck wherever. Vicki B.- remember me always! Hi Olga! Ten years from now I will be a big time Chicago architect, partying every night, and never losing my best friends T.G., M.S., A.C.!

Lynda Theotokatos: Cabinet 1,2,3,4; Student Union 4; Soccer 2; Cheerleading 3,4; Orchestis 4; White Honor Key 1, Bronze Key 1; Band Tour (Fiesta Bowl) 3; Midnight Riders 3,4; Homecoming Court 4; Frosh year obsessions Joey, Rob. Wedding bust- Chris. Susan, Eden- Highland Park, 12 ouzo shots. Lipyns, Arizona bust 3:00 am w/ band guys. Cheerleading camp '88- fights, fashion show (Amy & I). Homecoming '87 * '88. Barbeques, late night craziness at Jack's w/ Lisa. Drags w/ Lynn and Rita. New Years '86, D.M. & I busting F.H. Hotel dances. Rock- Basrack Field cop-bust, TPing, vomit on McD's floor. B-day: La Bamba. All memories w/ the greatest friends ever- I'll miss you all! Ten years from now I see myself as being immensely obese, coming back to a Niles West reunion and burning everyone who ever thought I was too skinny.

Susan Theotokatos: Hellenic Club 1,2; secretary 3; vice-president 4; Midnight Riders 4; SADD 3; German Club 1,2,3,4; Homeroom chats- Nalini, Limeligh! (Patty, Nalini, Doris), dances, Christmas AHEPA '87, Oak Street beach w/ Senada and being on chanel 5 news while there, beach hopping with Patty- Lake Shore Drive; blind dates (Nick and what's his name). Sluggers- Sundry, Greece summer '87, L.W. pool (Val and Denise), Denise's sweet 16, Salsia (Patty), Ganga, Ed's, friendships new and old staying sturdy. I see myself in ten years living in a flat in Manhattan near 5th Avenue and the Met or bronzing on a Greek island forever, or even marrying an Italian and living in Milano.

Anna Therios: Volleyball 1; Hellenic Club 3,4; GK- Jinxer and Air Jordan, Monday nights, Tami, dances, TW- ski trip, trains, weekends. MP- bella, Marge, give joy, boyfriends. JK- my destroyed pruses, good times. DT- you're huge, far side, computer class, librarians. OM- after school rides, lunch, Calvin and Hobbes, SM- going out to lunch, RAPS, RUSH, breakfast. Ten years from now I will be

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out of school, having fun, maybe married with kids, traveling, driving a nice car, being healthy, and owning a business.

Lisa Theurer: Midnight Riders 4, Detropians, skiff, watermelons, Miss Piggy, Oak Park, dork, NUTTABLES, roommate good times, memories, someone special, New Year's, D.K. little sis, hockey, Fl. Puma, parmesan cheese, Ledwans, Austin Park, vinifem-wins, skipper dork, Yamaunpopularity, BOUTED, Camages, O'Hara, BOGGS (her head), Rodney, new mothers, Al, D's, Magilla, BP, I LOVE U. Single or married, a success or a failure, wealthy or poor, famous or unknown, pregnant or not, alive or dead.

Sandy Thompson: Basketball 1,2,3,4, Soccer 1,2,3,4, Susan sluggers, Brad the beach w/ champagne, Nevada/leisure situations, Chris' Pass, 3/13, trapper, zombies, HP w/ Derek, Simone's class frosh, yr. & Beethoven's 9th, yr. flat tire w/ Cio, Michelle-French braids, Bambi, Kristi's soccer, Halloween, B. Vaps, B/B McDonald, Gayle Dixon '88, Thanks for all the great times!

Scott Tohwan: Cabinet, Treasurer 4, NHS 4, V.P. 4, Union 4, Peer Counseling 4, Spanish Club 2,3, Math Team 1,2, National Youth Leader's Conference in Wash. D.C. 3, Assume the position, Flower's Park, Dregs for humanity, Berge and A-Train, Han Paul '89, Valencia, senior study hall, studying for A.P. exams, Dylan & Tulaan, obviously, lost hubcaps, Mr. Maton, Just another freak show, Al at Blazer's, "stop the car Scott!", Super Bowl champs '88, we are fascists, Triangle electric, Ten years from now I'll be on my way to earning more money than any of you can dream of.

Spiro Tsipianitis: Wrestling 3,4, Hellenic Club 2,4, I'm sitting in a downtown subway station, with a wise bottle, wearing blind man's glasses, a plaid suit, playing the harmonica.

Georgia Tsoulou: Basketball 1, Volleyball 1, Sofia-the hood, B & C Inc., flaming piece of Greek cheese, repeat & Zaimam, can we leave early?, man-hunting, cars with one headlight, G.M., S.D., M.T., my little brown Cadillac, and all the other good times. Thanks for all the memories. You're the best. I LOVE YOU! Dora-Arizona, old Tucson, M.I., s, thanks so much for everything. Love Ya. Estelle-Homemaking '88, "beeh beep," A/NKJ, ZABNAM, any plans for the future?

Micrao Tshahly: Concert Band 1, Marching Band 1, Inherits the Wind F, Pier Piper 2, Expressions 2,3, Bye Bye Media Steering Committee 1, Theater 1,2,3,4, Israeli Club 2,3,4, Strike, bumper dancers, Jack, leaving to "shop" & "exercise" w/ John & Debbie, Joel great America (Yukondo it), boat w/ Debbie, fire-extinguisher, times w/ Mary, summer w/ Amy, sharing birthday w/ Mike, Hebrew w/ Boridy, thanks always to Pablo, John, Debbie, Roddy, and Mike prom, Interlaken, boat, child & special secrets w/ Lina, talks, homecoming, and best times w/ Mike, more to come. I love you, forever. In ten years I will be married to Mike w/ 1-3 kids. We will be traveling a lot and be very happy.

Fehiya Tulen: AFS 3,4, Filipino Club 2,4, Spanish Club 1,2,3, SNHS 3,4, Soccer 2,3, Cabinet 1, Union 1, California 1987, Agnes knock, truck? Espana 1988, My very special family, Ana, Raquel, "Oh Madrid," La Rumba, heladeria, poli, pita, playa, patin, "La Manga" Juan and the fiesta, Toñin and her rock'n roll, Casey, Stephanie, Janet-pasty riva, "oh say," cafeteria food, Rogey's, Julie-Burger King, Frena, Jose, May you're the best. Party what can I say. German Shepherds & Chihuahua make a perfect pair. Living abroad and helping the poor.

Dorey Tzortzatz: Soccer 2,3,4, Midnight rider 3,4, Cabinet 4, Peer Counseling 2,3, Hellenic Club 1,2, Union 1, Homecoming Ed with J.B., T.G., and J.J., J.M. thanks for driving home all those times I love ya! crashing (TWICE), going skiing with R.O. and J.M. "My dad's gonna kill me!" A.T. "You're huge!" "Oh my God no!" Gina at Yana's party, H.A. A.W. "I only had two. I swear!" B.J. too many good times.

I'll miss you when you're downy under K.B. in the sandy, "Bunnyrahitia", D.K. and me at D.C.'s, giving out on New Year's 88-89, and listening to M.S. and S.T. scream Guns-n-Roses at Laramie. I see myself ten years from now as a big time advertising executive or as a surfing instructor on the beach of some Caribbean Island.

Cindy Uehlein: Cabinet 1, Midnight Riders 1,4, E.M., S.K. & J.T., Glo-in-the-dark, sneaking in/out windows I.K., Mitch & Steve M.N., NFL, Lovers R.N., utters, sayyana, smurty, S.J. "But it's not a keg," 940, Tequila V.D., Daylena, egging, "Did I really say that?" E.L. late-night phone calls, parties at your house, J.L. & B.B., Ringers, Doof, NFL, W.D., P.R., NBU, Rick, my Chippendale, Roberto, Peder, Eva, & J.D. BORG, 88 Summer, Working for Lufthansa, married to an Italian mobster, who looks hot in bicycle shorts.

Brad Utanoff: Golf 1,2,3,4, Tennis 1,2,3,4, Physiology with Kendra, "Probably" "With Strat in Mr. Ratz's class," "stop faking the Data!" Dave Miller, Pass the ham, The Eatoh, days with Jay, Andrew, Jim and of course, Gordon, Baker IS Gonzo, Doubles with Oruc as "Frick & Frack," Scott Whelan shanking his drives, All of the hashes with the greatest group of guys a guy could find, sitting behind a mammoth desk in the most uncomfortable leather chair, I'll be raking in all the cash from my self-made business. And I'll probably, but hopefully not, be bounded by holy matrimony.

Al Utanomyia: Peer Counseling 2, Going to Cuba game with Millie, Also doing the "Walk of Israel" with Millie & Miss Snob LBA, Going to Mexico with Millie, Special thanks to Kristy for the "huge" taffy apple, Cheri I hope you don't miss Rahop! Ayumi, remember our good times in Ceramics? And farewell to N.W. By the year 1999, I hope to be a world traveler and have sold my best artwork to the Louvre.

Jim Valavanis: Soccer 1,2,3,4, Baseball 1,2,3,4, Grease 1, Mike B. emitting a noise at the police station, George N., "Oh, My God, Officer," Jammin' with the Cuban and Scott M. & G.N. Screaming "Keith" in the fat Lady's ear at K.R. Concert, Under the covers with M.K., Homecoming with L.C. kicking off a cliff, Blowing up a window, Bart with a stocking over his face with S.J.'s brush of death, Chemistry with Paul 3 and Karen, Go-carting and burning my arm with Bob and John, Finally leaving high school, Living in a mansion and laying in a hot tub with 20 desperate, beautiful women.

Jovino Valignota: Football 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3,4, Playing "Bomber" football freshman year, "Hello, can I speak to Wanger number 3?", Watching A.T. Flex in front of the mirror and agreeing that he's huge, J.L. saying "I wonder why I got so tired when I drive", Trying to convince S.M. that Marino stinks, I hope to have a small family and and nice home and I wouldn't mind being filthy rich too.

Javier Vargas: Basketball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3,4, NHS 3,4, GNHS 3,4, German Club 3,4, Tutors Club 4, Jeannie you BOOB! Joe es muy pequeño! Dave, BB kicks, Jaime, life sucks! Ali, thanks. You've been a great friend. To someone very dear and special, you mean everything to me. I just wish I had a chance. I hate to see you go. I will always love you. On a beautiful deserted island drifting off with the setting sun, lost in the distant horizon under the peaceful stars.

Rafa Vlahakis: International Night 4, Hellenic Club 4, My most special experience was on my first day of school. It was September 17 in 1987, and I was a junior. In the beginning I thought I wasn't going to make any friends because I was from another country. That day I was proven wrong. I've made a lot of friends here. I see myself teaching English and French to the children in Greece.

Alan Vrbos: Wrestling, Football, I had no special experience. School was the same everyday. Boring, Boring, Boring. Well I guess having Mr. Leopold for U.S. was interesting. "I guess." Well I think all my teachers deserve credit including Mr. Apostolou and Mr. Johnson. Adios Dean Erikson. Joining the CIA or making license plates or being a doctor or creating new computers.

Lauren Wagner: Theater 1, Band 1, Union 2, Cabinet 2, Peer Counseling 2,3,4, Leader 3,4, Israeli Club 4, N-Club 4, Gymnastics 1,2,3,4, Capt. 4, Anthony Louis Cupanous, songs, Labor Day weekend, 1/22/88, 12/16/88, 12/25/88, Prom, laughing, winter break, adjusting, our spots, BEST FRIENDS, I LOVE YOU! Dabuba, banana boat, RODENT, tators, parks, NY '88, confetti, slings, AMY, Homecoming, Ralph, corn dog, pink waffer cookie, poxa, gymnastics, lobster, Todds, No Way Out, chata, PACT! Scorch teeth. I will be forever engaged to ALS! We will have finally gotten a bigger car and won the lottery!

Donica Weinberg: Volleyball 1,2,3,4, Track 1,2,3,4, Concert Orchestra 1,2,3,4, Medical Careers 1, German Club 2,3,4, White Kay 1, Freshman year Boston Tock "The Cup" w/ T.R., conference champs-Track '88, the many football games (Brr.), screaming in cars, 1988-volleyball season-"WW III" Final exam time with Shoma "I want Vinny, you want WHAT! Don't call him a what!" plus "ony" T. Zak, "E", boomer, and Phutie, the wonderful tracks w/ Bea and Gayle, M.R. for all the times I needed to trust you for German/Spanish/Hebrew "A pie," "snake," "it's windy out," M.B., Homecoming 1988 it was great! T.R. trip to Chicago w/ Danny (ugh!) and the ridea (thanz!) DZ "telephones" and all the fun with the class of '89. I will be president of a multinational corporation traveling over seas and running the Boston Marathon, at least once.

Greg Weinberg: Drumline 2,3,4, Spiro-bike rides, 67-Bird, Fiesta bowl, drumline, Barth-cleaning your floor, Kenny and tour, Hijack car talking 2-4, revving our duals, Piner-late night bagel runs to see hagel lady, Pan Pan-teaching you to ski, Koppel-my bath tub-your bed, you lost your waterbed rights, Maggie D.T. Strat-up until Sam at Scott's house, drum corps, moosh, 4x4, you got cone, Scott-I'll fix your red knock in ten years.

Jamie Weisman: Gymnastics 1,2,3,4, SADD 4, N-Club 4, Leaders 2,3,4, Midnight Riders 4, Howie,



Santa Eric Orsic brings joy to the students of a day care center. Senior cabinet visited the center during the holiday season.

Tony-singing at the top of our lungs, New Years '88; Kim guy talks; Debbie-BBYO, Brodsky Congregation; Vicki-little sis; Daria- OBA KABEY, Scott S. Mark a little suarez, homecoming; Laura: "Are you Jemmy?" Homecoming, red and white party; Scott M. How's Sammy? Peggy, synchronized bar routines; Shannon- New Years '89, Evanston guys (my), E.P.T., Chill, Cia-OK, I'll take another puppy!; Chick magnet, I have stupid people, seniors; gymnastics team- good luck always; The Group-cruising, singing, parties, G.N.O., lots of good times.

Donna Wezio: Track 1, Bible study 1,2,3; Choir: Yearbook 4; Photography Club 4. Irene -Petra-Summer of '85- Peer group- acceptance Money for Nothing - Pool - Chess - Mt. Dew Commercial- A-HA- Porsche 911 red convertible Carrera- Wilnot- Anne and Joey- "The Plan!"- which one?- Paradise By the Dashboard. Light - Neighbors - Everything! Psychologist with at home office - author - wife.

Terry Williams: Volleyball 1; Softball 1. Lunch with Anna, Julie, Maria, and Gina-junior and senior year. Hey Lisa, "Shad-up!" "Anna do you give joy to everyone you meet?" Lisa "Here's a little Ditty 'bout Jack and Diane " Does that put you in a good mood? To all my friends "Give joy and good luck!" In ten years from now, I see myself as a famous actress in a famous soap or just a CPA.

Julie Wiltgen: Soccer 1,2,3,4; N-Club 4; Cabinet 2,3; SADD 4; Peer Counseling 3,4; Theater 1; Orchestra 2; Expressions 3,4; Midnight riders 3,4. M.B. Accord-Accord-Accord. C.D. Get in that car, we're being chased. M.B. L.B. "Colorado" K.B. and M.A. K.B. lust L.E. I love K.R. M.B. drive my car. H.E. L.W. T.S.-Homecoming '88. K.B. BANANAS and Peanut Butter. M.B. Who's street is that? S.T.-M.B.-Paddle. M.H.-T.S.-J.C.-H.E.-S.T.-M.B.-Ground Round. I, Julie Wiltgen see myself ten years from now being happily married with a career in child Psychology, also having two kids and living in a house in Colorado.

Larry Wisnack: Wrestling 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 1. All the great times I had with my friends over the last 4 years. Rica and the race track. Trying to walk straight downstate. Working as a professional for some business.

Debra Wojtalik: Midnight Riders 3; Union 1,2; Cabinet 2,3. J.C. 2/4/86, Wicnain Della, boy-talk, meeting Doug, FRIENDSHIP FOREVER! L.W. "NO WAY OUT", pacts, Porsche's cheap referrals. TS: roses, ABC's, Hawk talk, summer school. Homecoming '88. Dodge Daytona! MG: Well all right, New Trier wrestling matches with L.C. and L.T. THANKS SL: Parking ticket at the beach. D.M.: I Love You! Ten years from now I'll be married to D.M., be a top professional rider, and have followed all of my dreams.

Christian Wright: Drum Line 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Symphonic Band 3,4; Concert Band 1,2; Band Board 2; Debate 4. Band tour 97-88-All that pizza and SF's evening encounter with BJ's cousin- The band door and the fire alarm-yeah-I did it!-J.L. H.J.K. R.K. S.G. J.K etc. the kung-fu movie we never made-YK's Ouija parties and the Church of Satan-SA, J.L. YK, R.F. S.I.S. ED = TBP, Spring

and the Borg Warner Bldg., Albiani's class, 9SG, J.C. DM, R.F. NA, SA, R.K. ED, C.K. R.Y. BD, C.K. PS, WW, H.Y. MR, AG, (all of drum line) AK, CG, The entire NWDT (except for you-know-who) thanks for all the great memories. I'll be fabulously rich as president of ILS Dynamics, doing research for the Gov't. so, I can over charge them and make a mint to retire early with.

Daria Wright: Swim Team 1,2; Guard Club 1; Peer Counseling 2,3,4; Operation Snowball 2,3,4; Leaders 3,4; Midnight Riders 4; Swim Team Dial 9. J.V. Kill Camey, Love Frogface Jalapeno-mazwella-Darrin & Gang. Hey Bugs- Wimbleton. Best Friendship- Soph. Riding in rain. No cheese and sausage Pizza Rambo-Stop it! Riceball, Big Pig, I Love it! Rhonda-Beatrice-Tubing, fights in Oakkosh. Shan-my-man-Keith-No mailboxes!

Maria Wright: Marching Band 1,2,3,4; German Club 2,3,4; NHS 3,4; Student Produced Musical 2,4; Orchestra 3,4; Symphonic Band 3,4; German Exchange Program 3; Band Board Sec. 4. Megan-"Kevin is a D-ck!" (Just a quote) Thanks for all these years of fun. Driving to school, summer school, Carl, Tours, GUSSINI, board games 'til I am. Suzy-DDS, Grimace, "And all", Butch and Fido, The sun was in my eyes! beer chips, connect the dots! Wack his PP P-SS. Tracy-Thanks for EVERYTHING. (sorry 'bout the rug) Ami-FISH. Beata-Beer for Breakfast! Dave-Stick 'em! P-SS on that!

Ryoko Yamaguchi: Gymnastics 1,2,3,4; ART Council 3; Theater 4, FAME 4; Leaders 2,3,4; Midnight Riders 4. Mr. Reclaim many laughs, cleaning up, Sunny 3 yrs. of art together; Mary M. freshman art "I'll Jack You!" Barb K. Don't think to much; D.W. Angel Heart; Bradley; long talks; JWL Magic 104. Our place; may our dreams come true; N.Y. dealing with the Spaz and Dad; L.W. CD Gymnastics. Sharing a life with my successful lawyer, worry-free, pressure-free, and fat-free living happily ever after pursuing our dreams.

Kathy Yim: Spanish 1,2,3; Korean Club 1,2,3,4. CC, AL, JR, JH, Turnabout?? HAHA, junior prom with HK; thanks for listening to my stupid problems CC, sleeping over w/ AL, CC. CK winter retreat- my 16th B-day party. Most of all-being with my best children, with a gorgeous husband, living in a mansion.

Hannah Yoo: Ji: daygo's, Master hall, canaan retreats, midnight talks. Halim: hospital, nurse's office, TEARS, DOMINOES, Handelman's, tanning. May Jr. yr., Mexico (Lynn & Sue), advanced aerobics. Judy: physics, computer, formal dinner, Homecoming prep. Hash: study, be good! Bible study, keep faith. A.C. & J.K. Try God. F.T. & R.S. plans?? In Christ's love.

Harry Yoon: Track 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1, Tutors Club 3,4; Seminars for Scholars 4; Korean Club 2,3,4; Orchestra 1,2,3,4. Jumping up and finding ball in my hands against GBN. Seeing my sister for first time, calling at 10:00 for chemistry and getting off at 1:30 w/ God, seeing top view of rainbow in Denver, typing application at 4:52, Levinson, making track to San Francisco, accepting Christ, looking at Chicago on March 5, Northwestern walks. Married in Africa in Paris in Chicago, giving everything I got to God.

Brett Youstra: Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1,2,3,4; Senate 2; Cabinet 2; N-Club 4; Leaders 2,3,4; NHS 4; United Way Youth Leader 4. Out w/ the boys (Tran, Cal, Drewla, Tex, Klanny, O.B., Semeny, Honry); pool hopping, "Hey Rookie", young pyros, horse bridge gatterings, discovery of "sauce", burning down garages, Alpine Valley concerts-mail-box baseball, "Forest Kegs from Hell", "Seek-n-Destroy", 60 m.p.h. 360's, Tex's safari rides, Humby and the Roidman, Henry's favorite ceilings. A successful Beverly Hills plastic surgeon, specializing in breast enlargements.

Janey Yu: Math Team 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 1,3,4; Senate 1,2,3,4; Tutors Club 3; Orchestra 1,2,3,4; SNHS 4; NHS 4. DD-school w/Rich; AK-join junior varsity! PN-stop counting! LS- are u experienced yet? JK-----u more favorite person? NW, here we come. JV-excuse me, do u have "Casual Sex"? JC- know me well enough yet? MC-BF, memories, tears, boys, u're the greatest, luv u! Living in a house overlooking the Half Moon Bay w/ a successful husband and 3 darling children.

Michael Yu: Track 1,2,3,4; Chinese Club 2,3,4; Chess 2,3,4; German Club 3,4; Math Team 1,2,3; NHS 4; J.J. & M.C.: lake, 1963, Korea, parties, J.L. \$500, libraries, colors, toothpicks, Giordano's, tennis. See ya down UIC. J.L. Lu-Lu, chess, driving to downtown at 11 pm, tennis, Diversions, Chem. u and Smitty, MOO!! Members of six-pack: We are the best! Tony & Sid: Old Orchard-you volleyball STUDS!! Johnny: Kimchee-power, Kool-warez, Deesek, keep modeling!! JOF: Savage and his pansylappers, 400's, 800's, M&M II, tool, joystick, B.O.

Shanin Zarate: Basketball 1; Softball 1,2,3; Midnight riders 3. E.B. 3 yrs. of good friendship, movies, pancake breakfasts; J.M., D.M. New Year's Eve 88. R.K. learnin to drive; B.U. break '87, hockey games, J.H. softball jr. yr.; J.A. Ahh! M.P. songs, sophomore year, prom, long drives; D.M. bathrooms, accidents, Jesus Christ, bowling, movies, Pollack's, ice cream, songs, psych, Schwinn shop, spaghetti dinners, SHAFT ME MORE! Meeting David my jr. year and going out w/ him. Having a career and being fairly well off; having a family of 2 children and a caring husband (D.M.).

Andy Zoldowska: Swimming 1,2,3,4; German Club 3,4. My crazy rabbit, Paula Safari rides, my famous dance, skiing with H.H. and A.S. Lost with Rosa and Han chasing blondes. Midnight- eggers R.L., H.H., A.A. and I Towel fights. Pool jumping. Berta Kodrak, Limelight, Riviera, Eddie-Rockets dances. Brew Gang: B.M., B.Y., C.R., H.H., P.S., H.R., A.L., T.C. My plans are to go to college, get an awesome job and be a hosehead like Bert (Hyundai Turbo Boost).



What's that? Senior Nick Stratigakes looks up from his newspaper. The library provides students with magazines, newspapers and books.



With each stroke he takes, this varsity swimmer heads for the finish line.

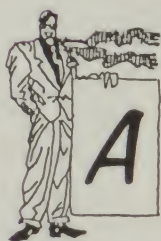


Seniors Mindy Nudelman, Eden Rocklin and Cindy Ratnow share a bit of information before heading to their next class.

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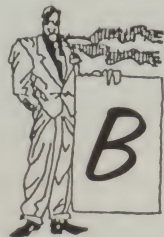


Senior Yuri Keegstra poses a question to guest speaker Russ Ewing during an all school assembly. The assembly was held in honor of Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday.



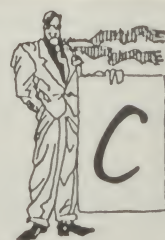
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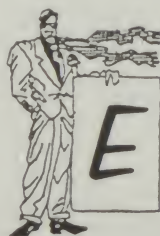
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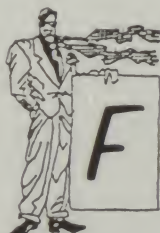


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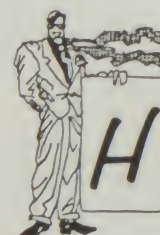
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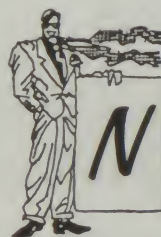
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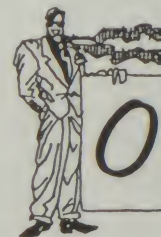
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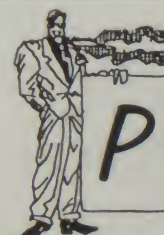


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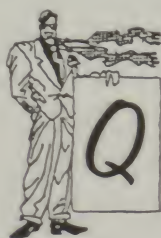
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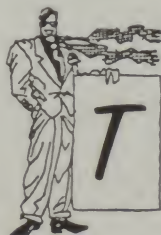
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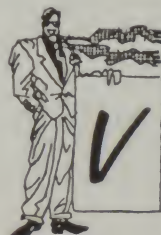


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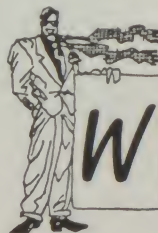


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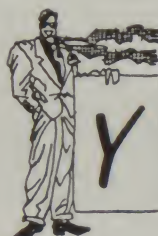


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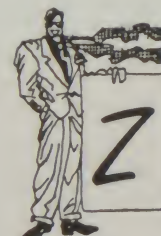
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Mr. Firak explains the various sights of Starved Rock to his Ecology Club members. Field trips such as this one provide students with a different type of learning experience, not to mention a day off of school.



Seniors Andy Costello and Hilary Kaden share a special moment as they attend their final Homecoming dance. Memories of this evening will remain with many seniors even after graduation.

Go Big Red!!! Cheerleaders of all class levels come together as they march through the streets of Skokie and Morton Grove on this special day.



The NiWeHi Marching Band and Pom Pon squad put together another extraordinary performance. Fans watch on and await the second half of the football game to begin.



Closing On A High Note



WE DID IT ALL- development of the theme, the layouts, the stories, the pictures, the captions ... all that remains are the unused materials, the worn-out staff, the paranoid editors and Spectrum 1989!!

With the early departure of the seniors looming in the air as school began, the editors feverishly scrounged about looking for that perfect picture for that perfect layout. They stayed up at all

hours adding the finishing touches, packing up the pages, the rushing to the 24 hour O'Hare Post Office because the next day was the DEADLINE!

More color, artwork and new sections contributed to the book's uniqueness. For the first time, Mini Magazine voiced the opinions of students in regard to issues of the '80s. Spectrum 1989 - Doing it All - began with ideas and ended up as the longest

yearbook West has published.

We hope that seniors take this book as the head to college with fond memories of their last year, while underclassmen use these reminiscences as a stepping stone for their future fun filled years at West. Finally, to each and every person who contributed and helped us "Do it All" - Thank you!

**Parveen Najiullah
Estelle Nikolakakis**



With a roll of the dice, senior Bill DeAcetis hopes to land on a space that will win him big bucks. Spanish students experience playing Monopoly in another language for the first time.



Group learning is commonly used in classes, and often leads to a better understanding of assignments. Senior Brett Youstra receives extra help from Dawn Rugendorf on a previous assignment that he had difficulty with.



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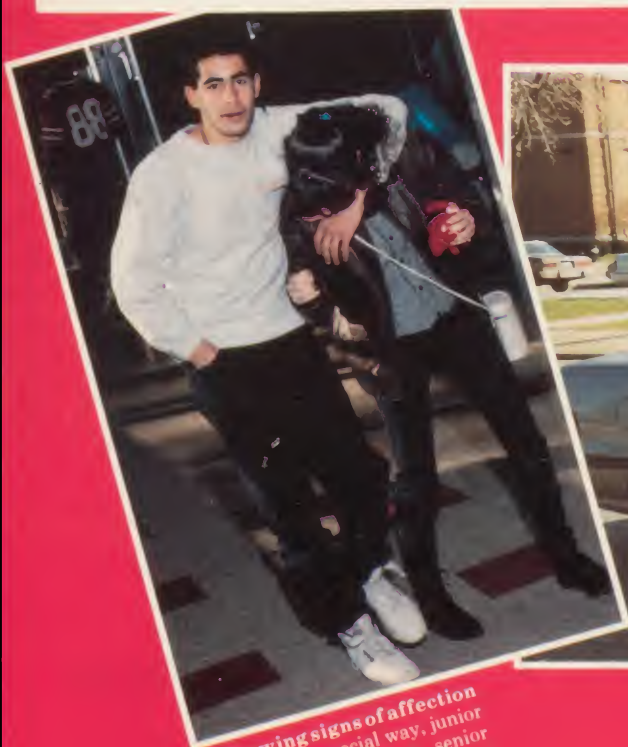


Enjoying their free mods, juniors gather in the cafeteria to meet with friends. When the bell rings, it's off to class once again!



On the warpath, spirited students join in on the fun at NiWeHi! Art skills are exhibited in many different ways.

There's nothing like the taste of Domino's for hungry cheerleaders during halftime! Varsity members Amy Cho, Anne Pullano, and Karen Noesen fulfill their hunger with a smile.



Showing signs of affection in his own special way, junior Howie Amiel places senior Dawn Rugendorf into a headlock.



Celebrating the end of a long week of school, seniors Urik Halliday and Ted Apostolopoulos reveal their true feelings. Plans for the weekend can now begin!







